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16 INJURED IN NEW YORK SUBSTATION SHOOTING

At least 16 people were injured on Tuesday at a subway station in New York City during a morning rush hour attack, officials said

SUSPECT FLEES SCENE WEARING GAS MASK

The incident occurred at the 36th Street subway station in Brooklyn's Sunset Park, where authorities found several undetonated devices. The suspect put on a gas mask, deployed a gas canister and began shooting before fleeing. The attack is not being probed as an act of terrorism but nothing has been ruled out, NYPD Commissioner Keechant Sewell said

FIVE SHOOTING VICTIMS SERIOUSLY HURT

- Five of the shooting victims were seriously wounded, but are expected to survive, US media said. The nature of injuries varied from gunshot wounds to smoke inhalation
- The violence comes as New York City has faced a spate a shootings and high-profile attacks in recent months | **P11**

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SHOOTING INCIDENTS IN NEW YORK IN THE FIRST QUARTER OF THIS YEAR

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Govt in fix as contractor blames KSE, ends life

RDPR minister refuses to quit, CM says any decision after probe

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Udupi

PUTTING the state government and Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Minister KS Eshwarappa in a tight spot, a civil contractor from Belagavi committed suicide in Udupi on Tuesday, alleging that the minister was directly responsible for his extreme step.

The contractor, Santosh Patil, had on March 11 written to Prime Minister Narendra Modi and Union Jal Shakti Minister Gajendra Singh Shekhawat, stating, "I would have no other option but to commit suicide if bills and work orders are not released."

Patil had said that he had completed 108 road works worth Rs 4 crore in Hindalga panchayat limits in Belagavi after taking permission from Eshwarappa directly. Eventually, the RDPR Department and Eshwarappa's associates refused to help him get the work orders or the bills paid, he had alleged.

As the demand for his resignation grew, Eshwarappa refused to step down. The minister, who was in Mysuru attending a party programme, said, "During a TV interview, Santosh Patil had made allegations that I and my supporters had demanded a 40 percent bribe for getting a contract. Patil had stated that he had given a complaint against me to Modi, Home minister Amit Shah and other Central ministers. I had filed a defamation case against Patil."

Eshwarappa said, "I spoke to Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai on the issue. He told me not to worry. He said he will collect all details from the police and order a proper inquiry. I personally requested the CM to get the investigation done soon, as false messages are being spread against me." **CONTINUED ON: P4**

RDPR Minister KS Eshwarappa (left) and contractor Santosh Patil

'Santosh was not given work order'

BALA CHAUHAN AND NAUSHAD BIJAPUR @ Bengaluru/ Belagavi

ON the heels of the demise of contractor and BJP leader Santosh Patil, who reportedly died by suicide in a private lodge in Udupi on Tuesday, informed sources told TNIE that the village road in Hindalga, for which Patil was reportedly seeking payment, was allegedly built "without any sanction order from the government".

In February, president of Hindalga GP in Belagavi had written to the RDPR department asking for the work order and payment for the village road that was built. "The officials went through the files and to their surprise, found that no such sanction was given for road construction in Hindalga village," added sources.

Santosh's friends concur that he had taken up road works without a work order, as he had been assured that it would be given later. **CONTINUED ON: P4**

SC tells BDA to allot 150 acres to EWS

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

THE Bangalore Development Authority (BDA) has been ordered by the Supreme Court to earmark 150 acres of land in Dr Shivaram Karanth Layout to the Rajiv Gandhi Housing Corporation Limited to cater to economically weaker sections (EWS), said Judge AV Chandrashekar, chairman of the SC-appointed committee, on Tuesday. The authority is proposed to build at least 15,000 flats with a dimension of 500 sqft each.

The committee has been set up to identify lawful constructions in the layout to regularise them. Following the recommendations of the committee, the apex court has regularised 1,475 buildings that have come up in 17 villages from 2014 to 2018. **P2**

Snaking queues for fuel in Colombo | AFP

Rajapaksas face 'Lanka spring' heat

DILRUKSHI HANDUNNETTI
@ Colombo

FOR many days, despite ongoing protests in various parts of the island calling for the resignation Gotabaya Rajapaksa and a change in the political system, the Rajapaksas maintained stoic silence. There had been no explanation for the economic morass, plans to contain the situation to avert further economic decline or a simple apology as Sri Lankans continue to face their biggest economic crisis since independence. The queues are long, tempers short, and essentials are becoming scarce by the day.

Despite the silence, the past week saw some dramatic moments, including a spate of invalid resignations by government ministers, the exit of Basil Rajapaksa as finance minister and Ajith Nivaard Cabraal from the post of Central Bank's governor, two men faulted by the people for causing "system collapse" through corruption and mismanagement of the island economy. As public despair grows, so does resentment towards the ruling family. **CONTINUED ON: P11**

NATIONWIDE	APR 11	APR 12
Freshcases	861	796
Recoveries	929	946
Deaths	6	19
KARNATAKA	APR 11	APR 12
Freshcases	34	48
Recoveries	29	86
Deaths	0	0

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April 12: 13,28,485 doses

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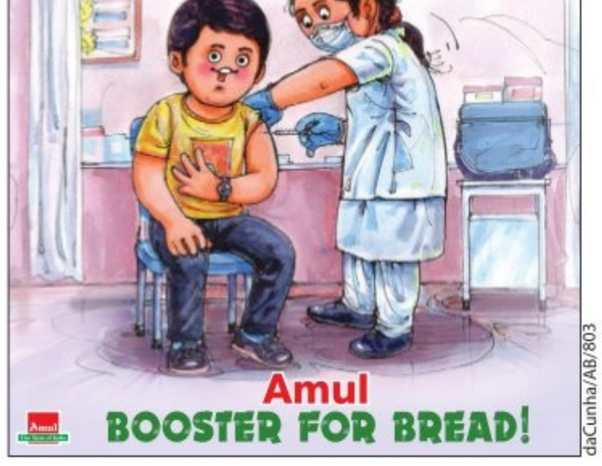
EXPRESS READ

India can supply food stocks to world: PM

Ahmedabad: Prime Minister on Tuesday said that during his talk with US President Joe Biden, he offered to supply India's food stock to the world if the WTO gives permission. Food stocks in different parts of the world are dwindling due to the Russia-Ukraine war, he added.

Students can pursue two degrees now

New Delhi: The UGC on Tuesday announced that students will now be able to simultaneously pursue two-full time academic programmes, which will help expand their knowledge and skill-set. This provides flexibility to a student to pursue any combination of degrees. **P9**



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Retail inflation at 17-month high

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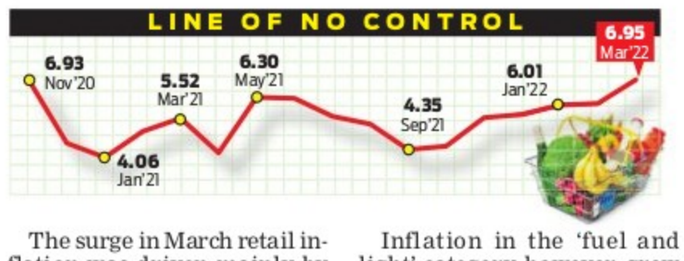
@ New Delhi

RETAIL inflation soared to a 17-month high of 6.95% in March with the prices of most commodities soaring, data published by the National Statistical Office showed on Tuesday. It is the third straight month when the inflation remained above the Reserve Bank of India's comfort zone of 6%. Retail inflation, measured by Consumer Price Index (CPI), was 6.07% in February and 6.01% in January. The CPI inflation was 5.52% in March 2021.



The surge in March retail inflation was driven mainly by costly food items, which registered a 7.7% growth compared to 5.9% in February. Vegetables prices rose 11.6%, edible oils 18.8%, meat and fish by 9.6% and cereals by 4.9% during the month under review.

Inflation in the 'fuel and light' category, however, grew at a slower pace of 7.5% in March (compared to 8.7% in February) as most of the price hikes in petrol, diesel and LPG happened in the later part of the month.

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Nimhans part of largest brain study

BALA CHAUHAN @Bengaluru

THIS could be the holy grail for neuroscientists in mapping and understanding the human brain through its life span. A team of researchers from across six continents has created a series of brain charts -- the largest ever dataset, spanning the entire human lifespan from a 15-week-old-foetus to 100-year old-adult -- that show how human brains expand rapidly in early life and slowly shrink as people age.

The study published in 'Nature', world's leading British multidisciplinary weekly science journal, is the pioneer study to map the human brain growth curves, and has contributions from international researchers, including Indian researchers. **P5**

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WEATHER

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FORECAST

Showers late. Breaks of sun late

Sunrise 6.08 am
Sunset 6.32 pm
Moonrise 3.39 pm
Moonset 3.41 am

Grant TDR papers in 3 months: HC

BBMP's stand unjustified, says court

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@Bengaluru

THE Karnataka high court termed the Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike (BBMP) stand of denying promised Transferable Development Rights (TDR) certificates to the land losers, saying that the lands are no longer required, 'falls short of constitutional morality', and directed the state government and the civic body to grant TDR certificates to the petitioners who have lost their lands for formation/widening of roads within three months.

"If delay is brooked, the BBMP should pay cost to the petitioners at the rate of Rs 1,000 per week per sq m of relinquished lands, in addition to risking contempt action," cautioned Justice Krishna S Dixit while allowing a batch of petitions filed by DV Venkateshappa and several others from Bidarahalli Hobli.

The court also clarified that it is open to the petitioners to seek reconveyance of surrendered lands, if they so desire. If representations to this effect are made, the BDA should reconvey the surrendered lands within eight weeks, failing which the same cost should be paid, in addition to risking contempt action. The BBMP can recover the cost if and when paid, personally from the erring officials in accordance with law, the court added.

The petitions were filed by the land losers seeking a direction to the BBMP for issuance of TDR or 'Development Rights Certificates' in respect of lands in question which they have relinquished in favour of BBMP five years ago for the formation/widening of roads.

The BBMP resisted the claim of petitioners whereas the state government sought dismissal of the petitions principally contending that the lands are no longer required and that the same will be returned to the land owners. Even otherwise, the subject lands being situated outside its territorial jurisdictional limits and hence cannot be made use of land and as such TDR certificates cannot be granted, they argued.

Referring to these arguments, the court said that the contention of BBMP is thoroughly unjustified and unconscionable. The petitioners gave up their lands years ago and free of cost, of course, the TDR being the assured recompense. They did it, not for getting the lands back that too at this length of time, the court observed. The court also observed that the petitioners acting on the statutory policy of the state and believing the words of government and BBMP have surrendered valuable lands and thereby altered their position to their disadvantage and to the great benefit of BBMP.

Allotments to be spread across 6 separate blocks

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Briefing the media at the BDA head office, the former HC judge said that the apex court on March 31 had called for EWS allotments to be spread across six separate blocks in the layout with 25 acres allocated to each. "The SC has emphasised that the houses need to be spacious. The blocks must be well spread out, multi-storied and the apartments must be constructed under the EWS scheme," he said. The allotment of land will be made under the supervision of the committee, the court had stated. The apex court has also exempted 25 guntas of land from acquisition for forming the layout in Avalahalli belonging to BMS Educational Trust, a part of BMS Institute of Technology, he said. Another 34 guntas at Harohalli have been granted exemption from acquisition due to mismatch of boundaries.

COOLING OFF

As summer vacation begins, kids enjoy with their parents at a swimming pool at Basavanagudi Aquatic Centre | SHRIRAM BN

CD reports ready in 971 cases

S LALITHA @Bengaluru

KARANTH LAYOUT

UNDER the supervision of the Supreme Court-appointed Justice A V Chandrashekar Committee, four teams of the Bangalore Development Authority (BDA) has prepared documents -- Correct Dimension (CD) report -- that specify exact details of 971 properties at the Dr K Shivaram Karanth Layout.

Committee member Jayakar Jerome told The New Indian Express, "The Supreme Court has so far regularised 1,475 buildings built between 2014 and 2018 on the recommendations of the committee and CD reports for 971 properties are now in place. The work had been speeded up with the teams carrying out the assessment work in all the 17 villages covered under the Layout. Each team was tasked with readying 10 CD reports a day."

Work on readying the CD reports for this layout, planned 14 years ago, began on December 15, 2021. Sandwiched between Doddaballapur and Hesarghatta, it would become BDA's second biggest layout with 18,975 sites planned on 3,456 acres and 12 guntas.

The CD reports vetted by the committee would be forwarded to the town planning and engineering departments. "The BDA will superimpose on the draft plan proposed for the new layout and ensure that no Civic Amenity sites would be earmarked at these locations," Jerome said. The committee will complete submitting its report in connection with legalisation of buildings by December 31, 2022, he added.

A total of 7,161 applications have been received seeking regularisation of their constructions. The committee is first carrying out the process of regularising houses built between 2014 and 2018.

Unique regularisation certificates

ASKED if the committee can complete ascertaining the status of all 7,161 applications, committee member and former DGP ST Ramesh said the regularisation certificates to be issued for the layout is proving to be a complicated task."

FIELDS TO FLATS

Mango farmers partner with tech firms for sales

BOSKY KHANNA @Bengaluru

WHILE everyone awaits the king of fruits to be available at the markets, others choose the best and get them directly delivered from the farm to the door step.

Many apartment complexes, tech parks and tech firms in Bengaluru have directly partnered with mango growers to get the best mangoes directly from the fields. Some have gone a step further and made advance booking of entire farm produce to ensure that supplies are directly supplied to apartments or techies of particular companies.

The direct interaction with customers has benefited the farmers, especially those on outskirts of the city and in Kolar, Ramangara, Mandya, Chikkaballapur and other surrounding areas. This sort of business dealing has also received a thumbs up from the Karnataka State Mango Development and Marketing Corporation Limited (KSMDMCL).

The new business method is an outcome of the pandemic over the last two years. During the pandemic, as sales were affected, many used mobile services to make purchases. Postal orders and sales were also on the rise. When the demand rose, Hopcoms and KSMDMCL set up special counters in tech parks and apartment complexes for sales. During this time farmers shared their details with customers and built a business platform. KSMDMCL Managing Director C Nagaraj said that they were aware of such a tie-up and reckoned it was not a bad concept.

"We are fine as long as the farmers are benefiting from the deal," he said.

EXPRESS READ

SWR to run special trains to handle festive rush

Bengaluru: To help tackle the festival and summer rush, South Western Railway will run two pairs of special trains, one between Banaswadi and Tirunelveli and another between Mysuru and Tiruvananthapuram. The Banaswadi - Tirunelveli Superfast Summer Express Special will depart from Banaswadi on Wednesday at 8 pm and arrive at Tirunelveli the next day. The Tirunelveli - Banaswadi Superfast Summer Express Special will depart from Tirunelveli at 10.15 pm on April 16 and arrive at Banaswadi the next day. The Mysuru - Thiruvananthapuram Central Festival Special will depart from Mysuru on Wednesday at 2.15 pm and arrive at Thiruvananthapuram Central the following day. The Thiruvananthapuram Central - Mysuru Festival Special will depart from Thiruvananthapuram Central at 4.55 pm on April 17 and arrive at Mysuru the next day.

Sarjapur-Hebbal: Tenders floated for DPR consultant

BENGALURU: The ball has been set rolling to carry out preparation work on the new 37-km line between Sarajpur and Hebbal via Koramangala, announced by Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai in the State budget last month. Tenders to appoint a consultant to ready a Detailed Project Report (DPR) for the line estimated to touch Rs 15,000 crore were out on Monday. The line will be underground for 16.8 km between Hebbal and Koramangala and elevated for the rest of the route. Among the probable stations on this route are Carmelaram, NIMHANS, St Johns Hospital, Town Hall, Cunningham Road, Dirary Circle and Mekhri Circle. An eight-month period has been provided for readying the DPR which will provide details on the length of the line, the number of stations, the underground and overground routes, depot and ridership. The last date for submission of bid is May 17 at 3 pm with the technical bid slated to open later.

Farmers' protest today over PRR compensation

BENGALURU: Unhappy over the compensation set for acquiring their lands for the 73-km Peripheral Ring Road project, farmers are set to stage a protest at Freedom Park on Wednesday, and have planned to lay siege to the BDA head office at Kumara Park West for which permission has been denied, said a top BDA official. The farmers are demanding they be paid compensation under the new Land Acquisition Act 2013. However, the BDA is keen on paying the compensation as per the old Act as the acquisition process for this project started in 2006. "The Supreme Court too had ruled in favour of BDA. However, it has left open some ground for negotiation with the State government," the official added. The Supreme Court ruling on January 28 this year will help BDA by knocking Rs 3,000 crore out of a whopping Rs 15,475 crore it was supposed to shell out only as land compensation under the new Act. Around 1,810 acres of land have been purchased from around 3,000 farmers for the project, which was proposed 17 years ago.

Job training should start in school: Min

BENGALURU: The task force on skill development, entrepreneurship and livelihood has recommended that job-oriented skills be inculcated from Class 8 to degree classes, and entrepreneurial skills be adopted in the syllabus of Class 9 to PU. This is necessary to meet modern-day needs to resolve unemployment problems, and give children a bright future, Minister for Higher Education, IT/BT, CN Ashwath Narayan said.

Daily Starscope

PETER VIDAL

13th April : Deep in the background of all current planetary patterns is an intense and contradictory relationship between two great planets, Uranus and Pluto. This brings everything that's safe and secure into a direct collision with all that's dreamy and imaginative. If you're confused, don't worry. So are many other people.

ARIES (Mar 21 - Apr. 20)
You haven't always had life your own way, but the boot is now on the other foot: some people may well get away with taking advantage of you, but not for long. However, all things considered, you may be wise to give way gracefully; your natural charm has not deserted you.

TAURUS (Apr. 21 - May 21)
Venus, the planet which rules your emotions, may be in a supportive relationship to your sign, but the fact that it is making so many helpful aspects to other planets, must mean that your social and romantic life is going through a lively and stimulating phase.

GEMINI (May 22 - June 21)
The strongest planet in your solar chart is now the Moon, so you must expect to feel just that much more emotional than usual. However, you will soon be weeping tears of joy rather than sorrow. In fact, those of you favoured most are the carefree and young-at-heart.

CANCER (June 22 - July 23)
It's difficult to make forecasts for Cancerians at the moment, mainly because the planetary picture is so complicated. However, we can say that today you'll be in one of your periodic secretive moods, if possible, hiding yourself away from the public gaze.

LEO (July 24 - Aug. 23)
The past few weeks have seen so much financial uncertainty that it's hard to believe you're heading for a smoother ride. If important discussions are now in progress, then don't force the pace; other people require more time to make up their minds.

VIRGO (Aug. 24 - Sept. 23)
Being aware of others' needs is natural to you, and your selfless qualities can only do your reputation good at work. However, you must try to make partners and colleagues aware of their own responsibilities. It is time that they started playing their full part in the proceedings.

LIBRA (Sept. 24 - Oct. 23)
Underneath your tender and gracious exterior, you can be a tough cookie. Now that the aggressive planet Mars is giving you such backing, you will be able to steamroller colleagues into accepting your wishes. Family members should be the first to bend to your will.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24 - Nov. 22)
There is a danger of taking on too much at any one time. Certainly, friends will be on hand to back you up, but for the next few weeks you must watch your tendency to go behind people's backs. It is much better to come out and be totally straight.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23 - Dec. 22)
Mercury and Venus are the two planets signifying your social contacts at the moment. The fact that they are in mysterious and creative sections of your horoscope, suggests that all in this department is not as it seems, but the answers may not be available for another couple of weeks.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 23 - Jan. 20)
You must try to realise that although change is difficult, it is no easier to stay the same. Indeed, in the long run, if you cut loose now, you will shed a number of troublesome burdens. The great thing about the astrological universe is the way in which you can attract welcome opportunities just by freeing up extra space.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 - Feb. 19)
Deep down you know that certain aspects of your professional life must alter, and that your worldly ambitions must be called into question. Inevitably, friends will remind you of such stark realities, and while you may be slightly irritated, really you should be grateful.

PISCES (Feb. 20 - Mar 20)
You may have been expected to pay out more than you think is reasonable, but if you question your bills and debts, you may discover that you have indeed been overcharged. Home affairs must dominate your financial attention today, and you'd like it if others paid their way.

THE PHANTOM

THEY BLAME YOU FOR JAMPA'S DEATH? THAT'S CRAZY!
I WAS THERE! I SAW WHAT HAPPENED.
THEY THINK I SENT THE WOMAN AS A MATTER OF GRAVE INSULT.
A PROVOCATION TO GREATER BELLIGERENCE.
WHEN THEIR ASSASSINS FAIL TO KILL ME TONIGHT....
THAT, I FEAR, IS WHEN RETALIATION MAY BE POISED TO FALL ON THE MOUNTAIN CITY ITSELF.

HI AND LOIS

BEETLE BAILEY

WHAT'S WITH THE DUDS?
I'M PERFORMING WITH MY BARBER-SHOP QUARTET LATER
I'D NEVER LET YOU NEAR MY HAIR OR MY EARS
GREG + MORT WALKER

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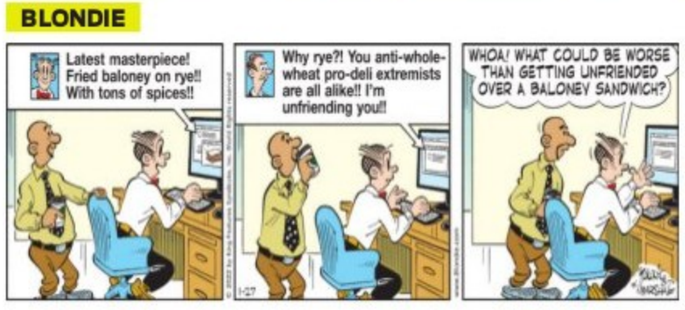
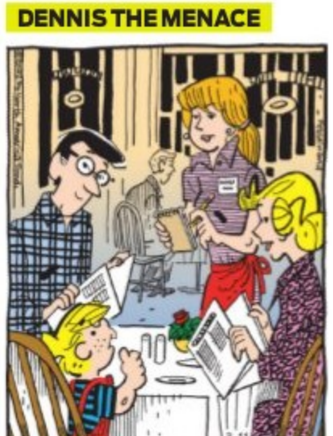

Latest masterpiece! Fried baloney on rye!! With tons of spices!!
Why rye?! You anti-whole-wheat pro-deli extremists are all alike!! I'm unfriending you!!
WHOA! WHAT COULD BE WORSE THAN GETTING UNFRIENDED OVER A BALONEY SANDWICH?

LOCKHORNS

DENNIS THE MENACE



SU DO KU

Easy: Test your number crunching skill with our unique puzzle

Fill in the grid with digits in such a manner that every row, every column and every 3X3 box accommodates the digits 1 to 9, without repeating any.

7		2		6			3	
		3	8		2	1		
	1		9	7	3		6	2
						6		3
			1	8	4			
1		9						
6	3		4	1	8		5	
		4	6		7	3		
	8			9		7		6

Solutions to Yesterday's puzzle

8	9	2	3	7	4	6	5	1
3	1	4	6	5	2	8	9	7
6	5	7	1	8	9	4	2	3
7	8	9	5	6	3	1	4	2
2	3	1	8	4	7	9	6	5
4	6	5	9	2	1	3	7	8
5	7	8	4	1	6	2	3	9
1	4	3	2	9	5	7	8	6
9	2	6	7	3	8	5	1	4

CROSS WORD

ACROSS

1 Stout king in his den (6)
4 Villains taken in hand by bishops (6)
9 Beat after exciting recount (7)
10 Prepare to whistle for one's money (5)
11 One of those pieces of eight (5)
12 Mohammedan claims I am converted (7)
13 Firm provision for retirement (7,4)
18 We hear a vulgar song from this pirate (7)
20 Look about a ship of the line (5)
22 Shady card game (5)
23 Being boastful although only a little credit due? (7)
24 Young man went ahead and spooned (6)
25 Piles made from bets (6)

DOWN

1 Is a member of a board and delays decisions (4,2)
2 Craft about to change (1-4)
3 Gives a man a different seat (7)
5 Check the advance of a sick man getting up (5)
6 They're stern-looking in a row (7)
7 Draw results in little play (6)
8 It gives power to those who deserve it (11)
14 Nero sprawled on his couch in a toga? (7)
15 Quarrel about nuclear risk (4,3)
16 List with or without a heading (6)
17 Unfinished plans of rowdies (6)
19 Put oil on a fish we hear (5)
21 Film showing disaster at sea (5)

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTIONS

Across: 1 Dictate, 5 Bride, 8 Pontoon bridge, 9 Touch, 10 Canasta, 11 Future, 12 School, 15 Red flag, 17 Unity, 19 Shooting stick, 20 Earth, 21 Springs.

Down: 1 Depot, 2 Conducted tour, 3 Another, 4 Eunice, 5 Baron, 6 Indisposition, 7 Eyeball, 11 Foresee, 13 Courser, 14 Agents, 16 Latch, 18 Yokes.

JUMBLE By David L. Hoyt and Jeff Knurek

Unscramble these Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.

SSOLH

SIYDA

TKNITE

WSLIVE

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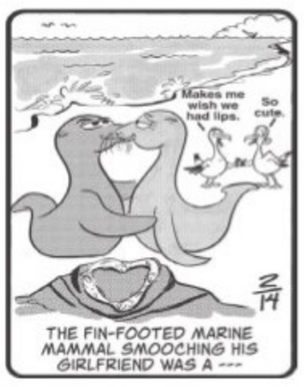

Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon

A _____

ANSWERS TOMORROW

YESTERDAY'S **Jumbles:**
MOTTO HONOR EYELID INFORM
ANSWER: The chef added the aromatic member of the mint family when it was – TIME FOR THYME

Bengaluru: A BBMP tax inspector, who was trapped by the ACB sleuths while receiving a bribe, was convicted by a court and awarded five-year rigorous imprisonment. Nagendra, who was working in BBMP ward no 192, had demanded a bribe of Rs 25,000 from a property owner to get 'B' khatha done for his property. He was trapped while receiving Rs 20,000 bribe in August 2017

TRACKING COVID-19

DURATION OF PANDEMIC
2 YEARS, 35 DAYS

CASES REPORTED
Today: 48 | Yesterday: 34

TALLY
Today: 39,46,084
Yesterday: 39,46,036

DEATHS	DISCHARGES
Today: 0	Today: 89
Yesterday: 0	Yesterday: 29

ACTIVE CASES
Today: 1,408
Yesterday: 1,446

POSITIVITY RATE	MORTALITY RATE
Today: 6.00%	Today: 1.02%
Yesterday: 6.00%	Yesterday: 1.01%

RECOVERY RATE Today: 98.94% Yesterday: 98.94%

DISTRICT-WISE COVID CASES
LAST 24 HOURS

Bengaluru Urban	40
Bengaluru Rural	3
Bagalkot	0
Ballari	0
Belagavi	3
Bidar	0
Chamarajanagar	0
Chikkaballapur	0
Chikkamagaluru	1
Chitradurga	0
Dakshina Kannada	0
Davanagere	0
Dharwad	2
Gadag	0
Hassan	0
Haveri	0
Kalaburagi	0
Kodagu	0
Kolar	0
Koppal	0
Mandya	0
Mysuru	0
Raichur	0
Ramanagara	0
Shivamogga	0
Tumakuru	1
Udupi	0
Uttara Kannada	0
Vijayapura	0
Yadgir	1

₹5L Jewellery disappears ahead of wedding, bride suspects beauticians

The team was called for questioning and has claimed innocence, says official

PRAVEEN KUMAR @ Bengaluru

BARELY a few minutes before the nuptials, crafty wedding guests or helpers reportedly crept into the bride's room and stole her gold ornaments. The bride, M Poornima, a 27-year-old private firm employee, had stepped out of the room for the mangalasutra dharane, at the Mahalakshmi Mantapa in the Art of Living premises on Kanakapura Road.

The needle of suspicion pointed towards the make-up artists who were inside the bride's room, but had reportedly left when Poornima went out for the ritual. Poornima returned to her room to wear the ornaments, but found them missing. The accused had made away with ornaments, weighing 102 grams and worth around Rs 5 lakh. Poornima, a resident of Ranganatha Layout on Kanakapura Road, said the ornaments were gifted to her by her husband, Vinod Kumar.

The make-up artists, who were summoned by police after a complaint was registered on Sunday, claimed innocence. Police are in the process of obtaining details of the other invitees.

"The complainant suspects the involvement of the make-up artists whose services she had taken for the bridal make-up. She has stated that the artists were in the room when she stepped out for the rituals. After she returned to the room, she claims that she did not see them. The matter was immediately brought to the notice of the Art of Living staff. The ashram's security personnel have checked the guests and the ornaments were not found with any of them. Since the make-up artists had already left, they were not checked," said an officer, based on the statements of the newly married woman.

"The make-up artists were called for questioning and have claimed innocence. The case is still under investigation and the gold ornaments are yet to be recovered," the officer added.

Cops intensify probe into doc's murder attempt case

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

THE Sadshivanagar police have intensified the probe into a murder attempt on 92-year-old Dr Shivalingaiah – founder trustee of Dr BR Ambedkar Medical and Engineering Colleges. A care taker and personal secretary of the nonagenarian are suspected to be behind the murder attempt, the police said.

The two had allegedly hatched a conspiracy to take over Shivalingaiah's properties worth a few crores. The victim, who was being treated at a private hospital, is suspected to have been administered tablets containing aluminium in coffee by the suspects, the police said. Medical tests found high levels of aluminium in the victim's body that could have turned fatal. The victim's son, Dr Ravi Prakash, filed a complaint with the Sadashivanagar police, who along with a Forensic Science Laboratory (FSL) team, visited the victim's residence and conducted an inspection.

The police are also collecting information from the doctors who are treating the victim.

Both the caretaker and the personal secretary were working with the victim for over 15 years. The victim was also allegedly made to sign on blank stamp papers. The caretaker also allegedly prepared documents to show that the victim had married her.

"The case is being investigated. No arrests have been made yet as the role of the suspects needs to be proved. The opinion of experts is being sought. A case of murder along with other sections of the Indian Penal Code have been registered based on the complaint filed by the son," said an official.

QUENCHING THIRST

With Bengaluru's daytime temperature in the ballpark of the 35 degrees Celsius mark, a worker waters plants at a traffic junction, on Tuesday | NAGARAJA GADEKAL

EXPRESS READ

Woman held for trying to kill son-in-law

BENGALURU: Byadarahalli police arrested a woman who tried to murder her son-in-law who fought with her and his wife frequently. Police said, "Keshava (44), who worked in a food packaging unit, was living with his wife and mother-in-law. He allegedly picked up a quarrel with them everyday over trivial issues and this frustrated the mother-in-law." "On Saturday night, Keshava picked up a fight with his wife and mother-in-law, Shakunthala. In a fit of rage, Shakunthala picked up an iron rod and hit his head causing serious injury. ENS

LUKEWARM RESPONSE

Booster cost drops, yet only few takers

SHILPA P @ Bengaluru

A FEW private hospitals started providing booster doses at the reduced rate of Rs 386 on Tuesday, to the relief of those aged 18 and above, while a few hospitals continued to charge higher rates. Some hospitals had dropped their rates on Monday itself.

According to Dr Rajashekar Y L, secretary of the Private Hospitals and Nursing Homes Association (PHANA), many private hospitals have not accepted free additional doses offered by vaccine companies to compensate for the excess money private hospitals paid them when they purchased vaccine stocks at the older price, fearing wastage of doses due to lack of demand. They prefer a refund, he said.

Ever since the drive began on Sunday, only 2,218 people between 18 and 59 years of age were vaccinated with the precautionary dose, while 4,07,88,909 people are vaccinated with the first dose and 3,88,77,844 with the second dose. Although the cost of Covaxin and Covishield was reduced by vaccine companies on Saturday to Rs 225, private hospitals which had already purchased the vaccines at the old cost, continued to charge the old rates on Sunday. But after the government and vaccine companies agreed to compensate hospitals for the excess money paid for the vaccines at the older price, in the form of free doses, they reduced the prices on Monday. "Since many private hospitals are awaiting refund instead of additional vaccines, they have no choice but to pass on the cost to patients," Rajashekar said.

Meanwhile, Health Minister Dr K Sudhakar said, "We could handle the third wave well only because of vaccination. Though Covid-19 cases have come down, with new variants including XE, ME surfacing, it is better to get vaccinated with precautionary doses."

'VACCINATION ONLY WAY TO STAVE OFF FOURTH WAVE'

Bengaluru: Health Minister Dr K Sudhakar on Tuesday said that vaccination was the only way to beat the potential fourth wave of Covid-19. Referring to the issue that many are yet to the take their second dose of the vaccine, and pointing to studies, Sudhakar said: "Predictive studies opine that the fourth wave will start in June-July and last till September. Karnataka is prepared to face it," he said. He told the media, "There is no need to worry as of now. Masks are still essential and there will be no relaxation. Over 5,000 children aged 6-12 years who are not yet eligible for the vaccine will be tested. The new XE variant is prominent in eight countries and all those coming from there are being screened."

EAST COAST RAILWAY

Tender No. SANDT-TELECOM-UPGRADATION

NAME OF WORK : 1) UPGRADATION OF DATA COMMUNICATION BY REPLACING OLD CABLE WITH OFC AND REPLACING OLD STM-1 BY NEW STM-1 OVER WALTAIR DIVISION. 2) PROVISION OF RAILNET CONNECTIVITY IN DRAWING SECTION AND ESTIMATE SECTION OF SENIOR DIVISIONAL ENGINEER OFFICE / WALTAIR. 3) PROVISION OF FOIS CONNECTIVITY AT TIKIRI OF WALTAIR DIVISION. 4) PROVISION OF RAILNET CONNECTIVITY IN VISAKHAPATNAM STEEL PLANT SIDING (VSPS), GATE JUNCTION, CENTRAL SICK LINE, RYD YARD, FPY AND RMUY LOCATIONS OF WALTAIR DIVISION. 5) S&T PORTION OF WORK IN CONNECTION WITH CONSTRUCTION OF LHS IN LIEU OF CLOSING OF MANNED LEVEL CROSSING NO. ML-408 AT KM 723/7-9 AND ML-410 AT KM NO. 726/5-7 BETWEEN NAUPADA - TILARU ON MAIN LINE OF WALTAIR DIVISION. 6) S & T PORTION OF WORK IN CONNECTION WITH CONSTRUCTION OF LHS IN LIEU OF CLOSING OF MANNED LEVEL CROSSING NO. ML-397 AL KM 710/23-25 AND ML-398 AT KM NO. 711/25-27 BETWEEN NAUPADA - TILARU SECTION ON MAIN LINE OF WALTAIR DIVISION. 7) S & T PORTION OF WORK IN CONNECTION WITH CONSTRUCTION OF LHS IN LIEU OF CLOSING OF MANNED LEVEL CROSSING NO. ML-428 AT KM 751/13-15 BETWEEN TILARU - PONDURU SECTION ON MAIN LINE OF WALTAIR DIVISION.

Advertised Value (₹) : 79,82,630.50, EMD (₹) : 1,59,700.00, Period of Completion : 12 Months.

Bidding Start Date : 27.04.2022

Tender Closing Date and Time : At 1500 Hrs. of 11.05.2022

Manual offers are not allowed against this tender, and any such manual offer received shall be ignored.

Complete information including e-Tender documents of the above e-Tenders is available in website http://www.ireps.gov.in

Sr. Divisional Signal & Telecom Engineer / Waltair

PR-26/N/22-23

PUBLIC NOTICE

I, the undersigned advocate on behalf of my clients **Mrs. Krishnamma and others,** have filed the above petition for the death certificate of **Dodda Appayyanna S/o. Pilla Byrappa** who died **on 03.08.1990** at Mahadevakodigehalli village, Jala Hobli, Yelahanka Taluk. If any parties who have objections may dispute regarding the same can appear before the Principal Civil Judge and JMFC at Devanahalli and the date of **hearing on 19.05.2022 at 11.00 A.M. in C.Mis No.257/2021**

By Order of the Court, Sd/- Chief Ministerial Officer Civil Judge & JMFC Court, Devanahalli

Manoj Gowda .P, Advocate

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, SRI. P. C. MALLAPPA, S/o Chikkamunishamappa is the absolute owner of the property described in the Schedule hereunder.

It is brought to the notice of the general public that, our clients have negotiated and decided to purchase the Schedule Property from the above said owner/attorney. Any persons having claim of any nature against or to the Schedule Property or any part thereof by way of inheritance, mortgage, sale, conveyance, MOU, Agreement to Sell, G.P.A, transfer, lease deed, tenancy, license, lien, charge, trust, maintenance, easement, gift, exchange, possession, adverse possession or otherwise howsoever are hereby required to submit the same in writing along with documentary proof to the undersigned at their office **within 07 days from the date of publication hereof**, failing which our client shall proceed without any reference to such claim and the same, if any, will be considered as waived.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the Agricultural land bearing **Sy.No. 102/4, (Old Sy.No. 102/2)** measuring to an extent of **1 Acre 20 Guntas**, situated at Shivapura Village, Kasaba Taluk, Doddaballapura Taluk, Bangalore Rural District and bounded on the,

East By : Land bearing Sy. No. 104;
West By : Land bearing Sy. No. 114/1 & 114/2;
North By : Land bearing Sy. No. 102/3;
South By : Land bearing Sy. No. 103/1;

M/S. LEGAL NEXUS,
ADVOCATES & CONSULTANTS,
No. 428, First Floor, 25th Cross, 24th Main, HSR Layout, Sector 2, Bangalore-560 102. Phone: 080-65555914
Mobile: 9945688974; 9164150690
Dated this 12th day of April 2022 at Bangalore

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the general public that, my client Sri H.V. Mahendra Kumar, S/o M Veeraiah and D. Jyothi, D/o Doddalingaiah, both R/of No.39, 1st Main, 3rd Cross, Prashanthi Nagar, ISRO Layout, Bengaluru - 560 078, have interested to purchase the schedule property from Dr. T. Narayan, S/o Thimme gowda, R/of Ranganatha Extension, behind Municipal High School, Kanakapura, Ramanagara District. If anybody has / have objection for the same, please contact the undersigned within 15 days from the date of this public notice with documentary evidence. If any objection/ s is / are received, my clients are proceed in getting the registered sale deed in respect of the schedule property. After expiry of the aforesaid time any objection/ s received, the same will not bind on my clients.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Site No.1276, 2nd Block, 6th Stage, Banashankari, Bengaluru, measuring East to West 23 meters and North to South 15 meters in all 345 square meters and the same is bounded on the **East by:** Road, **West by:** Site No.1289; **North by:** Site No.1277; **South by:** Site No.1275.

K.V. RAMU, Advocate
No. 12/2, 10th Cross, Cubbonpet, Bangalore-560002. M: 98443 78747
Date: 13-04-2022

PUBLIC NOTICE

The General public are hereby notified that, our clients have entered into an Agreement to purchase the Schedule property from its Owners **(i) SRI. B. KRISHNA MURTHY S/o Late B. Ramanjaneyulu Setty and (ii) SMT. K. S. MYTHILI W/o Sri.A. G. Srinivas**, residing at No.521, Vibhava, O.T.F Layout, Bangarpet Road, Kolar-563101. The Owners represent that they are the absolute owners of the Schedule property and have good marketable, right, title and interest therein.

Apart from the above owners, if any person has any manner of claim, right, title, interest or demand of any nature in or over the Schedule property or any part thereof, the same shall be filed with the undersigned with supporting documents, within **7 (Seven)** days from the date of this Notice. Objections and or the claims received after expiry of the stipulated time will not be binding on our clients and our clients will proceed with the sale transaction.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the vacant residential property bearing **Municipal No.37 (old No.41/1), PID No.51-70-37,** measuring East to West 36ft and North to South 36ft, in all measuring 1296 Sq.ft., situated at **Model House Street, Basavanagudi, Bengaluru,** within the limits of BBMP Ward No.154 (Old Ward No.51) Basavanagudi and bounded as follows:

East by : Property belongs to Sri.Venkatashamappa;
West by : Nagasandra Road;
North by : Model House Road/Street;
South by : Property belongs to Sri.M.Hanumaiah & others.

Sd/- Bayya Reddy. M
For ISHA LAW CHAMBERS LLP
Advocates & Solicitors
No.101, 4th Floor, Sri Manjunatha Complex, BSK 2nd Stage, Opp : Banashankari BDA Complex, Bengaluru-560070.

BANNERGHATTA BIOLOGICAL PARK
OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR,
BANNERGHATTA BIOLOGICAL PARK, BENGALURU - 83.
Phone: 080-29776466 / 29776467 E-mail: bannerghattazoo@gmail.com

No: A3/BBP/Est/Coffee/Tea/2022-23 Date: 08-04-2022

TENDER NOTIFICATION

The Executive Director, Bannerghatta Biological Park, Bangalore herein after referred as Tender Inviting Authority, has invited e-Tender for **"Supply of Tea/Coffee twice a day to the employees working in various units of Bannerghatta Biological Park, Bengaluru** through e-Procurement Portal **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in** for one year from the date of agreement.

Detailed tender documents may be downloaded from the Website: **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in.** Tenders may be submitted along with EMD of **Rs. 50,000/-** and tender fees electronically in e-Proc **on or before 10-05-2022 upto 16.00 Hrs.** Tender will be Opened on **13-05-2022 at 11.30 Hrs.**

Sd/-
Executive Director

DIPR/CP/134/Adverto/2022-23

COVID-19. DO NOT PANIC, BE AWARE
Wear Mask | 6 Feet Follow Physical Distancing | Maintain Hand Hygiene

KRISHNA BHAGYA JALA NIGAM LIMITED
(A Government of Karnataka Undertaking)
Office of the Executive Engineer, KBJNL, Dam Division, Almatti-586201. Tq:B.Bagewadi Dt: Vijayapur.
Phone:08426-281027 E-mail:dam_division@rediffmail.com

No: KBJNL/DDA/DB/TND/2022-23/35-42 Dated:08.04.2022

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION
(Through E-Procurement Portal Only)

On behalf of the Managing Director, KBJNL, Bangalore the undersigned invites tender on percentage basis from the eligible contractors for the work of **(1) Indent No. 21901 for Rs. 56.40 Lakhs (2) Indent No. 21895 for Rs. 46.58 Lakhs (ST) (3) Indent No. 21894 for Rs. 25.55 Lakhs (SC) (4) Indent No. 21672 for Rs. 20.99 Lakhs (SC) (5) Indent No. 21673 for Rs. 17.10 Lakhs (Others) (6) Indent No. 21605 for Rs. 15.37 Lakhs (7) Indent No. 21604 for Rs. 15.14 Lakhs (8) Indent No. 21679 for Rs. 10.59 Lakhs (Others). The contractor can have access and submit e-tender from 11-04-2022 to 21-04-2022 up to 5-00 PM. Cover-I (Technical Bid) will be opened on 25-04-2022 at 11-00AM Cover-II (Financial Bid) will be opened on 30-04-2022 at 11-00AM** at the Office of the Executive Engineer, KBJNL, Dam Division, Almatti. For clarifications office of the undersigned may be contacted during office hours (Phone No. 08426-281027). Further information about electronic tendering can be had from http://eproc.karnatak.gov.in/eportal/index.seam.

Sd/- Executive Engineer, KBJNL, Dam Division, Almatti

ವಾಸಾಸಂಇ/ವಿಜಯಪುರ/28/ಎಂಸಿಎ/2022–23

ಕೃಷಿ ವಿಶ್ವವಿದ್ಯಾಲಯ, ಧಾರವಾಡ
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ಸಂ.ಆಆ/ಇ–ಪ್ರೋ./ಕೃಷಿಮೇಳ–2022/ಆಹಾರ/2022–23 ದಿನಾಂಕ: 09.04.2022

ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರಮೆಂಟ್ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ

ಕೃಷಿ ವಿಶ್ವವಿದ್ಯಾಲಯ ಧಾರವಾಡದಲ್ಲಿ ಆವರಣದಲ್ಲಿ ಜರುಗಲಿರುವ ಕೃಷಿಮೇಳ – 2022 ರ ಅತಿಥಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಆಹಾರ ಪೂರೈಕೆ ಮಾಡಲು ಅರ್ಹ ವ್ಯಕ್ತಿಗಳಿಂದ ಟೆಂಡರುಗಳನ್ನು ಅಹ್ವಾನಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ.

ಟೆಂಡರ್ ವೇಳಾ ಪಟ್ಟಿ : (1) ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ಗಳನ್ನು ಸಲ್ಲಿಸುವ ಕೊನೆಯ ದಿನಾಂಕ : **18.04.2022** Upto 16.00 Hrs (2) ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ಗಳನ್ನು ತೆರೆಯುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ ಹಾಗೂ ವೇಳೆ : **19.04.2022** @ 16.30 Hrs

ಸದರಿ ಟೆಂಡರಗಳನ್ನು e-procurement portal ಪದ್ಧತಿಯಂತೆ http://eproc.karnataka.gov.in online ಮುಖಾಂತರ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸತಕ್ಕದ್ದು. ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ವಿವರಗಳಿಗಾಗಿ ಕಚೇರಿ ಕೆಲಸದ ಸಮಯದಲ್ಲಿ ದೂರವಾಣಿ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ **0836–2214216/332** ಸಂಪರ್ಕಿಸಬಹುದು.

ಸೂಚನೆ : ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ಗೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದಂತೆ ಕಾಲಕಾಲಕ್ಕೆ ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರಮೆಂಟ್ ವೇದಿಕೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರಪಹಿಸುವ ತಿದ್ದುಪಡಿಗಳು / ಮಾರ್ಪಾಡುಗಳನ್ನು ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರು ಗಮನಿಸಬೇಕು.

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IN LOVING MEMORY OF

P S SURESH

Son of T N Prakashan & Late.Savithiri Prakashan.
Husband of Sarala P.
Father of Sandeep P S(Ranjini).
Brother of Susheela(Daniel Lees), Santhosh (Maya), Surekha (Krishna) Valliachan of Sudeesh P S (Deepa) & Sudeep P S(Ashwathi)

He passed away on 11/4/2022 at age 58.
He was a Ex-HAL Employee.
He was an athlete, loved & played football.
Deeply mourned by family & friends.
Resting place @ Pratheeksha, Chengannur , Kerala

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NO: EE/RDW&S/DN-CKD/PB/KWI&2/TENDER/2022-23/43/95 Date:12-04-2022

TENDER NOTIFICATION
(Through E-procurement Portal only)

Tenders are invited on behalf of the governor of govt of Karnataka according to KTTP act 2000 through e- procurement Portal for the below mentioned works.

Work Indent No:- Work Indent No:- 37994, 37996, 37997.37998, 38000, 38001, 38002, 38004, 38006, 38009, 38014

II)Calendar events are as follows:

I) Date of Pre Bid Meeting:18-04-2022 time 11.00am @ EE RDW&S Division Chikodi

ii) Last date & time for receipt of tenders through e-portal 22-04-2022 upto 17.00 hours.

iii) Date of Opening of Technical Bid: on 25-04-2022 at 17.30 hours

iv) Date of Opening of Financial Bid on after approval of technical bid.

III) Other conditions & eligibility criteria etc are as published in e-procurement portal. More details can be had from the office of the undersigned and also through website www.eproc.Karnataka.gov.in by clicking list of Tenders which will link to all dept works list.

Sd/- Executive Engineer
RDW&S Division Chikodi

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PUBLIC NOTICE FOR AUCTION CUM SALE

Pursuant to taking possession of the secured asset mentioned hereunder by the Authorized Officer of KoteshwaraSahakari Bank Niyamitha under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 for the recovery of amount due from borrower/s, offers are invited by the undersigned in sealed covers for purchase of immovable property as described hereunder, which is in the physical possession , on 'As Is Where Is Basis'' As Is What Is Basis' and 'Whatever Is There Is Basis', Particulars of which are given below:-

Sl. No.	Borrower(s)/ Co-Borrower(s)/ Guarantor(s)	Demand Notice Date and Amount	Reserve Price (RP)	Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) (10% of RP)	Total Loan Outstanding (As on 31st day March 2022)
1. 2.	Sri. Suresh Robert S/o Sri. Raja, (Borrower) Smt. Jennifer W/o Sri. Suresh Robert (Co-Borrower)	03.02.2021 Rs.49,33,653.12/-	Rs. 60,00,000/-	Rs. 6,00,000/-	Rs. 54,05,647.12/- (Rupees Fifty Four Lakhs Five Thousand Six Hundred Fourty Seven and twelve paise Only)

Description of the Immovable Property: All the piece and parcel of Residential Immovable Property bearing Site No.47/A, Old No.41/47, Situated at Nayanappa Shetty Palya (N.S.Palya) Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South taluk, now comes within the limits of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, BTM Layout Ward No.65 and assigned the property as New Municipal No.6 (old No.47/A-41-47). Having Property PID No. 65-358-6, of 3rd Cross, Rashtrakavi Kuvempu Nagara, Bangalore. Measuring East to West : (50.0+67.0)/2 feet, North to South : 95.0 feet in all measuring 5557.5 Square Feet and bounded on the East by : House belongs to Chikka Byappa, West by : House belongs to Kempamma, North by : Road ,South by : House belongs to Krishnappa.

A Residential Apartment bearing Flat No.401 (3 BHK), in Fourth Floor, East Facing, Measuring 1285 Sq. Feet of Super Built Area, in the Apartment building known as "NISHITA'S MBVS, constructed in the Schedule 'B' herein above together with 326 Sq. feet of undivided share, right, title, interest and ownership and sital area comprising of flat consisting of Three bed Rooms, hall, Dining Kitchen, Balcony, Utility, Bath room and Toilets, consisting of Flush shutter with hardwoods frames, Main door Teak wood frame and shutter and Aluminum Windows, having vitrified flooring and one car parking marked as at Stilt/Basement floor in Schedule 'A' Property and Bounded on the East by : House belongs to Chikka Byappa, West by : House belongs to Kempamma, North by : Road, South by : Flat No.402.

Terms and Conditions of Sale: 1. Last date of Submission of Sealed Bid/Offer in the prescribed tender forms along with EMD and KYC is **28.04.2022, within 3.00PM** at the Branch Office address mentioned herein above. Tenders that are not filled up or tenders received beyond last date will be considered as invalid tender and shall accordingly be rejected. No Interest shall be paid on the EMD. **2.** Date of opening of the Bid/Offer (Auction Date) for Property is **29.04.2022** at the above mentioned branch office address at **11.00 AM.** The tender will be opened in the presence of the Authorised officer. **3.** Further interest will be charged as applicable, as per the Loan agreement on the amount outstanding in the notice and incidental expenses, costs, etc., is due and payable till its realization. **4.** The notice is hereby given to Borrower/s and Guarantor/s, to remain present personally at the time of sale and they can bring the intending buyers/purchasers for purchasing the immovable property as described herein above, as per the particulars of terms and condition of sale. **5.** The detail terms and conditions of auction sale are incorporated in the prescribed tender form. Tender forms are available at the above mentioned branch office. **6.** The immovable property will be sold to the highest tenderer. However, the Authorised Officer reserves the absolute discretion to allow inter se bidding, if deemed necessary. The Property as mentioned will not be sold below Reserve Price. **7.** Koteshwara Sahakari Bank Niyamitha is not responsible for any liabilities whatsoever pending upon the property as mentioned above. The Property shall be auctioned on 'As Is Where Is Basis' , 'As Is What Is Basis' and 'Whatever Is There Is Basis'. **8.** The Total loan outstanding amount is not the loan foreclosure amount. All other charges (if any) shall be calculated at the time of closure of the loan. **9.** The Demand Draft Should be made in favour of 'Koteshwara Sahakari Bank Niyamitha' Only. **10.** The property "SHALL NOT" be sold below the reserve price i.e. **Rs.60,00,000/- (Rupees Sixty Lakhs Only). 11.** The Successful bidder should deposit 25% of bid amount (including the EMD amount) immediately on the sale being knocked down in his favour and balance 75% of bid amount within 15 days after the sale date by RTGS/NEFT/ Funds Transfer to the Credit of **A/C No. 0009038000 1662, HDFC BANK, Richmond BRANCH,** Bangalore through **IFSC Code "HDFC0000009"** or by Demand Draft/ Pay Order in favour of **KOTESHWARA SAHAKARI BANK NIYAMITHA,** J P Nagar Branch payable at **Bengaluru. 12.** As per the Income Tax rules TDS @1% of auction price is payable by the auction purchaser as the purchase price would be more than Rs. 50.00 lakhs and the Bank shall not take responsibility for the same. **13.** In case of Default in payment at any stage by the successful bidder/auction purchaser within the stipulated time as stated above the sale will be cancelled and the amount already paid will be forfeited and the property will be again put to sale. **14.** The successful bidder shall bear the charges payable for stamp duty, Registration fee, conveyance, etc., as applicable in related laws. **15.** The property is being sold on "AS IS WHERE IS, AS IS WHAT IS BASIS &WHATEVER IS THERE IS BASIS" and subject to conditions prescribed in the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002. **16.** Bids once made shall not be cancelled or withdrawn. **17.** Prospective bidders are advised to peruse the copies of Title deeds with bank and verify the latest Encumbrance Certificate and other Revenue/ Municipal records to exercise due diligence and satisfy themselves on the Title and Encumbrances, If any over the property. **18.** All bidders shall be deemed to have read and understood the terms and conditions of sale and be bound by them. **19.** The Authorised Officer may postpone/cancel the sale without assigning any reason thereof. **20.** In case the Sale scheduled is postponed to a date before 30 days from the scheduled date of sale, it will be displayed on the notice board in the branch.

For further details you may contact above branch.

Date: 11.04.2022
Place: Bangalore

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Koteshwara Sahakari Bank Niyamitha

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Home Minister Araga Jnanendra said a thorough and fair probe would be conducted into the suicide of contractor Santosh Patil. He said he was in constant touch with the Udupi SP. "The cause of the incident will be revealed only after detailed probe," he said. Replying to a demand by Congress to arrest RDPR Minister K S Eshwarappa, he said it is not possible to arrest a minister because of their demand.

No last rites until KSE is arrested: Santosh's kin

Wife Jayashree, brother Prashant blame minister for Santosh's suicide; pressure on Bommai to drop Eshwarappa from Cabinet

NAUSHAD BIJAPUR @ Belagavi

THE State Government is under immense pressure to arrest RDPR Minister KS Eshwarappa and expel him from the Cabinet following the suicide of a civil contractor from Belagavi, Santosh Patil, also a BJP worker, who had levelled serious allegations against the minister and his associates of demanding commission to clear bills related to road works which he had accomplished under the supervision of RDPR Department in Belagavi.

Santosh's wife Jayashree blamed Eshwarappa for her husband's death while stating that the minister was not fit to remain in the Cabinet. She hit out at Eshwarappa for saying that he did not know who Santosh was. "My husband met Eshwarappa asking him to help pay the bills and the photos of both of them are there with me. My husband invested a huge sum and worked very hard to complete all the road works on the instructions of Eshwarappa," she said.

A file photo of Santosh Patil meeting RDPR Minister KS Eshwarappa recently

Santosh's brother Prashant Patil said, "We will not perform the funeral of my brother until Eshwarappa is arrested. Eshwarappa is directly responsible for his death. He committed suicide only due to Eshwarappa's torture. Besides threatening Santosh, Eshwarappa also had registered a case against him. Eshwarappa met Santosh on several occasions and got the works done from the latter."

Recently, Santosh Patil had shared photos of many road works taken up by him and his meetings with Eshwarappa and other leaders.

On Monday night, Santosh had sent a message on WhatsApp to several journalists in Belagavi in which he had said, "RDPR Minister K S Eshwarappa is directly responsible for my death and he should be punished for it. I am taking the extreme step by ignoring all my personal interests. I request with folded hands to the PM, CM and leaders of my Lingayat community, including BS Yediyurappa, to extend a helping hand to my wife and child. Many many thanks to the media friends."

Recently, Santosh had said he initiated 108 road works worth Rs 4 crore in Hindalga panchayat limits, Belagavi, only after taking permission from Eshwarappa directly. Eventually, the RDPR Department and associates of Eshwarappa refused to help him get the work orders or the bills paid, he had alleged.

After financers, who had given loan to Santosh started putting pressure on him to return the money, he had written to PM Narendra Modi and Union Jal Shakti Minister Gajendra Singh Shekhawat on March 11 (a copy of which is available with TNIE). Patil had said, "I would have no other option but to commit suicide if bills and work orders are not released."

His letter to the PM further reads, "The associates of the Minister (KS Eshwarappa) are annoying me to pay them a commission for the completed works. Honourable sir, I am in great tension and there is huge pressure from creditors who lent me money on interest. If the payment and the work order is not given to me on an immediate basis, then ending my life is the only option."

On the instructions of Eshwarappa on February 12, 2021, Patil had said in the letter to the PM, he took up 108 road works and completed them spending Rs 4 crore. But even after a year of starting the works, the RDPR Department neither paid the bills nor the work orders.

Decision on minister's resignation after probe: CM

VINCENT D'SOUZA @ Mangaluru

CHIEF Minister **Basavaraj Bommai** came out strongly in defense of his Cabinet colleague KS Eshwarappa who is in the eye of the storm over the suicide of contractor Santosh Patil and said that he will think over seeking his resignation only after preliminary investigation into the incident is over.

Giving his first reactions after the news of Santosh's suicide broke, Baommai said he has instructed the police to conduct a comprehensive investigation into the incident in order to bring out the truth. He maintained that there will no interference of any kind from his government.

On Santosh squarely blaming Eshwarappa in his death note, Bommai said the authenticity of the letter will be investigated. "The FSL team from Mangaluru was rushed to Udupi soon after the incident. Police will conduct an organised investigation and as per law," he said.

On being asked whether the government had looked into the allegation of 40 per cent bribe against Eshwarappa made by Santosh when he was alive, Bommai said that former had only levelled charges against the minister in a press conference and had not given any complaint to the government. "Eshwarappa had denied all allegations on the floor of the House. He had also filed a defamation case against him and a newspaper over the issue," he said.

On Opposition parties demand for CM's resignation and subjecting Eshwarappa for interrogation over Patil's suicide, Bommai hit back, asking whether CLP leader Siddaramaiah had stepped down when an officer committed suicide when he was CM. "Let us wait for the preliminary investigation to get over. We will take action based on that," he reiterated.

Police detain Conrgess workers in Shivamogga | SHIMOGA NANDAN

Security beefed up near KSE's house

SHIVAMOGGA: Congress and Youth Congress workers staged protests against RDPR Minister K S Eshwarappa here on Tuesday, demanding his arrest and resignation from the Cabinet. Meanwhile, the police have beefed up security near the minister's house in Shivamogga. Police lathi charged Youth Congress workers when they tried to lay siege to Eshwarappa's residence. They were detained by the police near the railway gate at Malleshwara Nagar. District Youth Congress president Girish laid down on the railway track and raised slogans against Eshwarappa. Meanwhile, workers of the District Congress Committee staged a protest in front of the Congress office. Former MLA and KPCC spokesperson K B Prasanna Kumar demanded that the CM drop Eshwarappa from the Cabinet. ENS

ARREST ESHWARAPPA: CONGRESS

ENS @ Bengaluru

THE Opposition Congress on Tuesday demanded that Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai drop Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Minister KS Eshwarappa from the ministry, for his alleged involvement in contractor Santosh Patil's suicide. Congress members also staged a protest near Eshwarappa's residence at Bengaluru and Shivamogga, demanding that a case be registered against him.

"BJP's 40 per cent Commission Government in Karnataka has claimed the life of their own Karyakarta. The victim's pleas to the PM went unanswered. Prime Minister and Chief Minister are complicit," senior Congress leader Rahul Gandhi tweeted. AICC General Secretary in-charge of Karnataka Randeep Singh Surjewala, KPCC President DK Shivakumar and Leader of Opposition Siddaramaiah demanded action against the minister, and said they would submit a memorandum to Governor Thaawarchand Gehlot on Wednesday.

Police take away a protesting Congress worker in Bengaluru | VINOD KUMAR T

Shivakumar told reporters that Santosh's suicide note reveals the person behind his death. "Under Section 302 of Indian Penal Code, a case should be filed against Eshwarappa and he should be arrested. He should be sacked from the cabinet and corruption charges filed against him. We are not accusing Eshwarappa of 40 per cent commission, the contractors' association and BJP workers are accusing the state government and minister of corruption... This is not just a suicide, but a murder," he said.

Siddaramaiah pointed out when DySP Ganapathi had committed suicide, then Home Minister KJ George was the accused and he had resigned immediately.

In a series of tweets, Surjewala slammed the State government and Bommai. "You (the CM) are not only condoning corruption, You are also discounting the death of a BJP worker & dishonouring him only to protect Corruption!" he stated.

A staunch BJP supporter

BELAGAVI: Hailing from an agriculture family in Badas village, Belagavi taluk, 35-year-old Santosh Patil had moved to Belagavi city and stayed with his family at Samarth Nagar for the past few months. He was a BJP worker and secretary of Hindu Vahini, a local organisation. For the past few years, Santosh was working as a Class-I civil contractor and taking up work on a regular basis. A staunch supporter of BJP, Patil had displayed the photos of RSS leader Ashok Singhal and former Belagavi MP late Suresh Angadi at his residence in Samarth Nagar.

Contractors have evidence: Assn head

BENGALURU: We have 40-50 contractors with evidence of MLAs and ministers demanding 40% commission to get tenders of work in government departments. But they will furnish the evidence only if the government orders a probe into the issue by an independent agency, because the contractors are afraid of becoming a target, state Karnataka Contractors' Association president D Kempanna said. "He was not a member of our association but was influential as he was a BJP worker. He had called me some 15 days ago and sought help as he was depressed by the minister's harassment," Kempanna told TNIE.

Santosh was promised work order later: Friends

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LAST month, the department wrote to the ZP Chief Executive Officer (CEO), Belagavi, asking him to explain how the work order for the road was granted without government sanction. "There are hundreds of private contractors working on government projects. There is no record of work or any written request of payment from Santosh Patil," added sources.

Patil had accused RDPR Minister KS Eshwarappa's associates of demanding 40 per cent commission for releasing payment. He and the other contractors had completed 108 roads works under Hindalga GP limits, investing their own money, and taking loans from friends, family and financial institutions. Patil had started work on oral assurances of public representatives and spent Rs 4 crore, his friend Shankar (name changed) claimed.

Eshwarappa had said that he did not know Santosh Patil, and that he had not been given any official order from the department to take up work. RDPR Additional Chief Secretary had also clarified that no work order was issued as the works were not sanctioned, so the question of making payment did not arise.

"Political games and corruption killed Santosh Patil. It was not suicide that has ended him," alleged Shankar. Santosh started believing a few public representatives and fell into their political trap, though he was warned by friends to stay away from them. Shankar recalled that Santosh took up road work in April 2021, only on the word of a few leaders. After payment was delayed by the government, Santosh was unable to handle the financial mess, he alleged.

Sources said Santosh's creditors were seen visiting his residence to demand their money in the past few days, which had put tremendous pressure on him. Attempts to contact Hindalga GP President Nagesh Manolkar and GP member NS Patil elicited no response.

EXPRESS READ

Group raises corruption charges against Shettar

BENGALURU: The Citizens' Rights Foundation has complained to Governor Thaawarhand Gehlot against the Karnataka Industries Area Development Board (KIADB) and requested him to urge the state government to inquire into an "illegality" committed by KIADB during the tenure of Jagadish Shettar, who was industries minister for about two years. In a letter to Gehlot, the Foundation said the issue concerns acquisition of over 800 acres in seven villages in North Bengaluru for the establishment of the Multi Modal Logistics Park. They pointed out that about 600 acres belongs to agriculturists and about 240 acres is kharab land. Some influential persons, including powerful politicians and bureaucrats, are seeking to make a quick buck by purchasing the land in benami accounts and benefiting from the compensation, they alleged.

Cong chants unity mantra ahead of 2023

ASHWINI M SRIPAD @ Bengaluru

WITH gaps widening between party leaders in the Karnataka Congress, the All India Congress Committee is taking a number of measures to fight assembly polls unitedly. Starting Tuesday, General Secretary in-charge of Karnataka **Randeep Singh Surjewala** started meeting MLAs and local leaders from each assembly constituency. This apart, the party is also releasing a second mega list of office-bearers to accommodate more people in the KPCC.

On Tuesday, Surjewala meet Congress MLAs, former MLAs and other local leaders from all 28 assembly constituencies of Bengaluru. Sources in the KPCC said there are a number of groups in the Karnataka Congress, led by KPCC President DK Shivakumar, Opposition Leader Siddaramaiah, MB Patil and others. While AICC hopes to get things moving smoothly, the differences between leaders is a hindrance. Surjewala on Tuesday advised them to keep their differences aside and fight the polls unitedly.

> Surjewala is here to send a message that they will announce candidates' names six months before elections, and everyone in the constituency has to work unitedly for victory
>
> Congress leader

Sources said the Congress is planning to announce the list of candidates for assembly elections six months ahead, so they get time to work, especially those contesting from constituencies the Congress lost in the last elections. "Surjewala is here to send a message that they will announce candidates' names six months before elections, and everyone in the constituency has to work unitedly for victory," sources said. Surjewala, who will be in Bengaluru till Thursday, will meet Congress MLAs and leaders from Davanagere and Chitradurga districts on Wednesday.

Surjewala will be back on April 18 for two days. "He will be meeting another set of MLAs and leaders from other districts, and personally try to keep hold of leaders in each constituency," sources added.

Recently, the AICC released a list of 149 office-bearers, including 40 vice-presidents and 109 general secretaries. But this list did not go down well with party leaders who could not be accommodated. In order to strengthen the party and accommodate more people as office-bearers, AICC will be releasing an additional 30 names as general secretaries and 200 to 250 secretaries in the next week. Several names recommended by Shivakumar and Siddaramaiah had been left out, leading to much heartburn, but will now be accommodated.

Santosh, friends booked two rooms in Udupi hotel

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On Monday evening, Patil and two of his friends came to Udupi and booked two rooms at Shambhavi Hotel. While Patil stayed in Room No. 207, his friends were put up in Room No. 208. Patil had asked his friends to get him some juice when they had gone out for dinner. Around 11 pm, he locked the room, his friends said. But later in the night, he sent a message the WhatsApp to several journalists in Belagavi. Udupi Additional SP Siddalingappa said that it was only Tuesday morning when Patil did not come out of his room that the two friends grew suspicious and informed the hotel staff. When the staff opened the door with the spare key, they found Patil lying dead on the bed. The police were informed immediately. Police sources said that Patil might have laced the fruit juice with a poison and consumed it. SP Vishnuvardhan said that as per the request of Patil's family members, his body had not been shifted out of the room till around 10.30 pm on Tuesday.

Tontadarya Mutt fair: Outfits warn of protest

RAGHOTTAM KOPPAR @Gadag

WHILE Tontadarya Mutt administration officials are silent on allowing non-Hindu traders from conducting business during the annual fair on April 15, some pro-Hindu outfits have warned them that protests would be intensified if non-Hindu traders are allowed.

The mutt has been a sanctuary of peace and harmony and has given the opportunity to all irrespective of their religion in fairs. Hindu organisations said Siddalinga Swami was denied entry into a mosque two decades ago when he visited all the religious places in Gadag, but he continued to spread the message of communal harmony.

Sri Rama Sene and Hindu Veerashaiva Lingayat Vedike members said they will call all religious leaders and stage a protest in front of the mutt.

Some devotees of the mutt said, "We do not know how the fair committee will select traders. We are celebrating the fair after two years without Covid fear. We request people not to create an issue as traders are running under loss and they have been looking for this fair for the last two years."

Minorities allowed to do business during Channakeshava car festival

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Hassan

THE burning issue of allotting shops during the car festival of famous Channakeshava temple at Belur was resolved by allowing minorities to conduct commercial activities.

Leaders from various sections of society, progressive thinkers and members of the temple development committee met here on Tuesday and took the decision. However, minorities were asked to set up their businesses 100 yards from temple premises.

On Monday, progressive thinkers and social activists held a peace march led by Shivananda Shivayogi Rajendra Mahaswamiji.

The issue started with members of Dharmika Parishat and pro-Hindu organisations submitting a memorandum urging the temple committee and the taluk administration not to allow Muslims to set up stalls during the car festival.

They cited the Karnataka Hindu Religious Institutions and Charitable Endowments Act, 2002 to justify their demand.

Belur MLA K S Lingesh said the issue has been resolved by taking religious heads and leaders of both communities into confidence. Steps will be taken to ensure a smooth conduct of the car festival, he added.

CM holds dawn-to-dusk parleys with partymen

VINCENT D'SOUZA @ Mangaluru

WITH just a year to go for the Assembly polls in Karnataka, the ruling BJP got down to some serious business preparing the party for the big battle with the launch of district-level brainstorming sessions on Tuesday.

Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai, who is heading one of the three panels that is touring the state to hold district-wise BJP core committee meetings, was busy with day-long meetings at a private hotel here. He held separate meetings with party leaders and workers from Kodagu, Udupi and Dakshina Kannada and reviewed the progress of party organisation.

Though the coastal districts are the stronghold of BJP, Bommai said they will do everything to ensure that party emerges more stronger in the coming days by winning more seats in the region. Workers have given suggestions on how to make the party stronger, he told the media after the meeting. He said besides discussions on party organisation, the team is taking stock of the political and social situations in the region, extending the party base by giving benefits to fishermen, focusing on bringing more industries, developing tourism, and implementing other programmes.

On whether the BJP will face the 2023 polls on the basis of Hindutva or on development, he said it will be on the basis of achievements of his government. Bommai said his government has made it very clear that communal provocation by any organisation will be strictly dealt with. "Provocation is happening from both sides," he said.

Meanwhile, Congress workers staged a protest in front of a private hotel in Mangaluru where Bommai and other ministers were holding the meeting.

Bengaluru Urban chief of AAP Mohan Dasari has filed a complaint against RDPR Minister KS Eshwarappa at the High Grounds police station demanding the police register an abetment to suicide case against him in the wake of Belagavi-based contractor Santosh Patil's death.

T'gana govt to purchase paddy

Loss from excessive broken rice will be ₹ 3k cr

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@Hyderabad

THE State government will purchase entire Rabi paddy from farmers and purchasing centres will be opened in next two to three days time.

The State Cabinet, which met on Tuesday, took a decision after prolonged battle with the Central government on the procurement of Rabi paddy.

The government has finally decided to come to the rescue of the farmers. As the Rabi paddy will give more broken rice, the State Cabinet constituted a four-member committee headed by Chief Secretary Somesh Kumar to study on how to minimise the loss.

The loss due to the excessive broken rice in the Rabi paddy will be around Rs 3,000 core. "We are giving crores of rupees subsidies to the farmers. We have decided to bear the loss of around Rs 3,000 crore to Rs 4,000 crore," Chief Minister **K Chandrasekhar Rao** told reporters after the Cabinet meeting. He alleged that the Central government, which waived off Rs 10.5 lakh crore of loans for industrialists, was unwilling to bear the loss of Rs 3,000 crore relating to 60 lakh farmers of Telangana.

"We have thoroughly exposed the Central government by organising the dharna in Delhi on Monday," Rao said. He said that 100 kg of Kharif paddy would give 67 kg of rice. But, 100 kg of Rabi paddy would give only 35 kg of rice. The loss for the remaining 30 kg would be borne by the State government, he said. Rao also blamed the Centre for asking the State governments to reduce the taxes on fuel. "The attitude of the Central government is clear that it will increase the prices and pocket money," Rao lamented.

A huge crowd of devotees from neighbouring states at Alipiri, Srinivasam waiting for tokens in Tirupati on Tuesday | MADHAV K

Tirupati: Devotee rush sparks chaos

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@Tirumala

CHAOS prevailed at the ticket counters in Tirupati along with an unexpected surge of devotees for darshan of Srivaru from the states, compelling TTD to allow the devotees to go ahead to Tirumala without tokens on Tuesday. The TTD had also cancelled VIP break darshan till Sunday to clear the rush of pilgrims.

The TTD started issuing SSD tokens from Tuesday morning after suspending it for two consecutive days at the Govindaraja Swamy choultry, Srinivasam pilgrim amenities complex and Bhudevi complex at Alipiri. Devotees in large numbers were waiting at the counters, jostling for tickets, triggering a stampede-like situation. Children and women who were in the queue fainted and a couple of them were shifted to the hospital.

Police faced a tough time to bring the situation under control with the numbers swelling. Tirupati and Chittoor SPs P Parameswar Reddy and Y Rishanth Reddy respectively monitored the situation.

Before the situation went out of hand, TTD officials reportedly spoke with senior officials including Trust Board chairman YV Subba Reddy and decided to allow devotees without SSD tokens. TTD officials said by the time 14,500 tickets were issued, the crowds multiplied and officials said around 15,000 gathered for the rest 5,000 tokens.

WE ARE IN A WATER CRISIS, SAYS GOWDA

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

IN an attempt to impress upon the people of Karnataka that the JDS is concerned about water-related issues, the regional party launched its ambitious 'Janata Jaladhare' campaign in the run-up to the 2023 assembly elections, at Ramanagara on Tuesday.

The 'Gangaratha Yatra' campaign is touted as the party's response to the Congress and BJP. Party workers will collect water from 90 rivers and tributaries from across the state and bring it to Bengaluru to perform 'Ganga Puja' until the elections.

Former Prime Minister H D Deve Gowda, who flagged off 15 'Gangaratha' buses which will take up an awareness campaign across the state, said, "It is not an election gimmick. We are in a crisis fighting for every drop of our water, and there is no question of letting farmers down. Let any party invite me for a struggle on water issues. I am ready to take part in it."

The buses are equipped with LED screens to screen short movies and documentaries showcasing the contribution of the party, especially Gowda, to irrigation in the state, and how national parties betrayed the people. Speaking at the mega rally organised at the district stadium, Gowda claimed that he had to face insults in Parliament while raising water-related issues and vowed that he would fight for the state's interest until his last breath.

"I am still alive and there is no question of stepping back from my struggle. My party workers have proved that nobody can finish off the JDS," he said.

Former Union minister C M Ibrahim, who is expected to be next JDS president, claimed that leaders from other parties are ready to join the JDS. "Kumaraswamy will certainly become the next chief minister," he predicted. Magadi MLA A Manjunath took charge as Ramanagara district JDS, while JDS state president H K Kumaraswamy was absent.

Study tracks growth of brain from foetus to adulthood

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INDIAN researchers from the Consortium on Vulnerability to Externalizing Disorders and Addictions (cVEDA) led by scientists from the National Institute of Mental Health and Neurosciences (Nimhans), Bengaluru are part of the study.

"The study published in 'Nature' online on April 6 is the result of a research project bringing together almost 1,25,000 brain scans from over a 100 different studies, possibly the largest ever MRI datasets ever aggregated," said Professor of Psychiatry, Centre for Addiction Medicine, Nimhans, Vivek Benegal, who along with Dr Bharath Holla, asst prof of psychiatry, Department of Integrative Medicine, Nimhans were the Indian authors from the cVEDA and have contributed the Indian dataset to this global initiative.

While growth charts have been the cornerstone of paediatric healthcare and are used as biomarkers to monitor the growth and development of children in comparison to their peers, there are no similar reference charts for measuring age-related changes in the human brain.

"Assessments of brain development and aging are particularly relevant to the study of psychiatric disorders. While research in neuroscience and psychiatry has discovered significant differences in brain structure, function and psychological functioning between people with and without mental illnesses, these are still at the level of differences between groups of people with and without the illness.

The data in neuroscience has not translated into individual care and does not account for wide variations seen in the real world. This study is a major step towards filling this gap," added Benegal.

The brain charts will allow the researchers to confirm, and in some cases, show for the first time developmental milestones that have previously only been hypothesised, more as prognosis, early diagnosis and treatment of mental illness.

Benegal said the cVEDA study, which provided a large number of brain scans of youngsters and young adults from India, is "one of the larger international neuro-developmental cohort studies, of over 9,000 youngsters from seven sites all over India. Set up through a Newton-Bhabha grant funded by the Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR) and the Medical Research Council, UK, the cVEDA follows these young people through their childhood adolescence and young adulthood to understand how their inherited genetic programming is moderated by their exposures to environmental risks to shape their brain maturation and their psychological abilities, towards wellbeing or mental illness," added the senior psychiatrist.

"Another measure of prediction and tracking that we are studying is an estimate of brain age. This is an index for quantifying individuals' brain health as deviation from a normative brain aging trajectory. Higher or lower-than-expected brain age is thought to reflect different from average rate of brain aging, and is increasingly understood to be associated with mental illness," said Holla.

EXPRESS READ

Man hacks elder brother, his family to death

CUTTACK: A 42-year-old man hacked five family members to death over a property dispute in Cuttack on Tuesday. The accused Shiva Prasad Sahoo surrendered at Balichandrapur police station hours after allegedly murdering his elder brother Alekh Chandra Sahoo (46), sister-in-law Rashmi Rekha Sahoo (41), niece Smruti Sandhya Sahoo (19) and nephews Smruti Sai Sahoo (18) and Smruti Saurav Sahoo (16).

Won't allow imposition of Hindi in TN: Annamalai

Chennai: Tamil Nadu unit of the BJP on Tuesday said it will never allow imposition of Hindi. Speaking at a press meet, the unit's chief K Annamalai said, "No one here knows Hindi. I also don't know Hindi. If someone needs to know the language for their work, education or business, then they can learn. But we don't have to be forced to learn a language to prove that we are Indians," he said. Stating it was the Congress that had imposed Hindi, Annamalai said, the BJP after coming to power, had stood against it. "Our PM Narendra Modi has created a situation where Hindi can't be imposed. Even when the draft NEP was on the lines of imposing Hindi, the PM did not give his approval," he said.

CENTRAL ORGANISATION FOR RAILWAY ELECTRIFICATION
1, Nawab Yusuf Road, Civil Lines Prayagraj-211001

E-Tender Notice No. CORES15135625A Dated : 11.04.2022

E-TENDER NOTICE

On behalf of the President of India, Principal Chief Material Manager Central Organization Railway Electrification, Prayagraj, invites following E-TENDER:-

E-tender No.	Brief Description	Quantity	Tender Due Date
CORES 15135625A	66 KV, Single Core, 630 Sq.mm. Aluminium, XLPE power cable for AI Corrugated sheath for underground line as per IS:7098(III) 1993 (or latest).	2 KM	05.05.2022

Note: 1) The complete information of above E-Tender and Tender document are available on IREPS website **i.e. http://ireps.gov.in. Only E-Bids shall be accepted against above Tender.** The e-bids may be submitted before **11:00** hrs on tender opening date.
No.PR./88/2022 PCMM/CORE/PRAYAGRAJ
Satya Adv. FOR & ON BEHALF OF PRESIDENT OF INDIA
"SERVING CUSTOMERS WITH A SMILE"

NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF WIND ENERGY
(Under the Ministry of New and Renewable Energy (MNRE), Government of India)
Velachery - Tambaram Main Road, Pallikaranai, Chennai - 600 100.

RECRUITMENT NOTIFICATION No.01/2022

National Institute of Wind Energy (NIWE) is the technical arm of Ministry of New and Renewable Energy, Govt. of India established to serve as a technical focal point for orderly development of Wind Power deployment. This Institute proposes to recruit the following posts purely on **contract basis.**

Sl. No.	Details	No. of positions
1.	Program Coordinator – Technical	1 No.
2.	Program Coordinator – Management	1 No.
3.	Program Coordinator – Financial	1 No.
4.	Web Designer, Database Management and Portal Maintenance	1 No.
5.	Project Assistant – Technical	1 No.
6.	Project Assistant – Financial	1 No.
7.	Purchase Executive	1 No.
8.	Senior Research Fellow (SRF)	1 No.

Details of **essential qualification, experience, age limit, consolidated remuneration and other terms & conditions** are available in the website: **https://niwe.res.in/careers.php.** The Last date for receipt of online application is **29.04.2022.**
Additional Director
[Finance & Administration]

IN THE HONOURABLE CITY CIVIL COURT (COMMERCIAL) AT BENGALURU (CCH-85)
Com. MISC. No. 3/2022
IN
COM. O.S. No. 6283/2018

BETWEEN: STATE BANK OF INDIA A body corporate constituted under the provisions of the State Bank of India Act. 1955 (23 of 1955) and the successor to State Bank of Mysore under the Acquisition of State Bank of Mysore under Order No. G.S.R.158[E] dated: 22/02/2017 passed by the Central Government under Section 35 of the State Bank of India Act, 1955 (23 of 1955) and having inter-alia with a branch office by name: SME Centre, No.20, Badaganadu Sangha Building, GHS Street, Sheshadripuram, Kumara Park, Bengaluru- 560020 and now with its Ambedkar Veedhi Branch Bengaluru rep. by its authorised signatory / Chief Manager
...PETITIONER / PLAINTIFF
AND: **M/s. S.V. ENTERPRISES ...DEFENDANTS**
To, **M/s. S.V. ENTERPRISES,** PROPRIETOR: Mr. S. VENKATESH S/o Mr. Subramanyam, Aged 43 years, Office at: 27/1, 8th "D" Cross, MSR Nagar, New BEL Road, BENGALURU-560054.
E-mail: sventerprises5555@gmail.com
Mobile: 9845599555 / 95914 99555
...DEFENDANTS
Whereas, the plaintiff above named have filed the above case for restoration with prayer to set aside the order of dismissal of the Suit bearing Com. OS No. 6283/2018, vide order dated 15-12-2021 on the file of the Commercial Court, CCH-85, Bengaluru, and to restore the suit Com. OS No.6283/2018 and permit the petitioner prosecute the matter on merits with costs.
Take notice that you are hereby directed to appear before this Court in person or through an Advocate duly authorized by you in this behalf, to defend in the above case **on 27.05.2022 at 11 a.m.** in forenoon. In spite of the notice, you fail to appear on that day, the above suit will be heard and decided in your absence.
Given under my hand & the seal of the court this 8th day of April 2022.
By order of the Court, Sheristedar, City Civil Court, Bengaluru.
Advocate for Plaintiff :
R.N.S.P. Achanta, Advocate
No. 14, SRR Building, 2nd Floor, 9th Cross, Cubbonpet, Bengaluru-560002.

Government of Karnataka
Panchayat Raj Engineering Division, Bagalkot
Tel Phone:08354- 235042 E-mail ID:bgkeezpe@yahoo.com Fax:08354-235043
No: EE/PRED/BGK/PB-1/RD/5054/Tender/2021-22/78 Date:12.04.2022

SHORT TENDER NOTIFICATION (Two Cover System) (KW-3 & 4 Bid Document)

Tender Called for the Work in the above notification through E-mode tendering is read as below.

Item rate Tender under two cover bid system is invited as per the Karnataka Transparency in Public Procurement ACT 1999 and Rules 2000 STANDARD BID DOCUMENT KW-3 & 4 through Public electronic Tendering System (E-Tender from Class-1 contractor (Civil) registered in KPWD, Who have got adequate financial resources, State of Technology, Suitable Construction equipments technical man Power & Sufficient past Experience for the following Work as per Schedule Given Below.

Tender Called for 5054-Jamakhandi Constituency (Rs.5.00 Crore) Scheme Under Work Indent No:RDPR/2022-23/RD/WORK_INDENT89766 read as below.

Calendar of Events

1	Request of blank Tender Documents and receipt of Completed Technical & Financial Bid through e-procurement	Dt:12.04.2022 to 28.04.2022 at 5.30pm
2	Opening of Technical Bid Date	30.04.2022 at 11.00am
3	Opening of Financial Bid Date.	After approval of Technical bid

Note:-More details can be obtained through website http://www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in or contact the below signed Office during the office hours. Phone no: 08354-235042
SD/-Executive Engineer, P.R.E. Division, Bagalkot
DIPR/BGK/RO-NO-23/MCA/2022-23

GOVERNMENT OF TAMIL NADU
HIGHWAYS DEPARTMENT
TAMIL NADU ROAD SECTOR PROJECT II
TENDER NOTICE NO. TNRSP II/CCPP/2022-23/01, Dated : 12.04.2022
1. For and on behalf of the Governor of State of Tamil Nadu, the Superintending Engineer (H), TNRSP II, Chennai invites bids for **"Preparation of Detailed Project Report and Bid Process Management for Transforming the existing Roads to Smart Urban Roads in Chennai City".**
2. Kindly refer the Request For Proposal (RFP) uploaded in **www.tntenders.gov.in** for details.
3. The Request For Proposal (RFP) is available from **13.04.2022 at 17.00 hours** in the website www.tntenders.gov.in and should be submitted online.
4. **Pre-proposal meeting** will be held on **22.04.2022 at 11.30 hours** at the office of the **PROJECT DIRECTOR, TNRSP-II, CHENNAI** (Refer RFP for additional information).
5. Deadline for online submission of Bids: **on or before 15.00 hours (IST) on 18.05.2022.**
6. Date of online Bid opening : **at 15.30 hours (IST) on 18.05.2022.**
DIPR / 1781 /Tender /2022
Superintending Engineer (H), Tamil Nadu Road Sector Project II, Chennai - 28

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ICAR-CENTRAL INSTITUTE FOR COTTON RESEARCH
(Indian Council of Agricultural Research)
Regional Station, Coimbatore - 641 003

WALK-IN-INTERVIEW

Walk In Interview is scheduled for the selection of temporary position of YP I & II, JRF and SRF on 20th, 21st and 22nd April 2022. For details please visit our website **www.cicr.org.in**

ಸಾರಿಗೆ ಇಲಾಖೆ
ಪ್ರಾದೇಶಿಕ ಸಾರಿಗೆ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಯವರ ಕಚೇರಿ, ಕೆ.ಆರ್. ಪುರ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು–560049
ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: ಪ್ರಾಸಾಅ:ಕೆ.ಆರ್.ಪುರ/ಹರಾಜು/2021–22 ದಿನಾಂಕ: 07–04–2022

ಜಪ್ತಿ ಮಾಡಿರುವ ವಾಹನಗಳ ಹರಾಜು ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ

ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕ ಮಾಹಿತಿಗಾಗಿ ಈ ಮೂಲಕ ತಿಳಿಯಪಡಿಸುವುದೇನೆಂದರೆ ದಂಡ ಪಾವತಿ ಹಾಗೂ ಇಲಾಖಾ ಶಾಸನ ಬದ್ಧ ಕ್ರಮ ಪ್ರಕರಣ ಮುಕ್ತಾಯ ಮಾಡದಿರುವ ವಾಹನಗಳನ್ನು ವಶಪಡಿಸಿಕೊಂಡು ಪ್ರಾದೇಶಿಕ ಸಾರಿಗೆ ಕಚೇರಿ ಕೆ.ಆರ್. ಪುರ ಆವರಣ ಹಾಗೂ ವಿವಿಧ ಪೊಲೀಸ್ ಠಾಣೆಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಇರಿಸಲಾಗಿದ್ದು, ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಮೋಟಾರು ವಾಹನಗಳ ತೆರಿಗೆ ಕಾಯಿದೆ 1957ರ ಕಲಂ–II–ಎ ರ ಅಡಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಮುಟ್ಟುಗೋಲು ಹಾಕಿಕೊಂಡು ನಿಲುಗಡೆಗೊಳಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಈಗಾಗಲೇ ಮಾಲೀಕರು ಹಾಗೂ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದ ಆರ್ಥಿಕ ನೆರವುದಾರರಿಗೆ ಇಲಾಖಾ ಪ್ರಕರಣವನ್ನು ಮುಕ್ತಾಯಗೊಳಿಸುವಂತೆ ನೋಟೀಸು ನೀಡಲಾಗಿದ್ದು ಇದುವರೆವಿಗೂ ಹಾಜರಾಗಿರುವುದಿಲ್ಲ. ಆದ್ದರಿಂದ ಈ ಕೆಳಗೆ ನಮೂದಿಸಿರುವ ವಾಹನಗಳ ಮಾಲೀಕರು / ಆರ್ಥಿಕ ನೆರವುದಾರರು ಈ ಪತ್ರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ ಬಹಿರಂಗಗೊಂಡ ದಿನಾಂಕದಿಂದ 15 ದಿನಗಳೊಳಗಾಗಿ ಈ ಕಚೇರಿಗೆ ಹಾಜರಾಗಿ ಪ್ರಕರಣಗಳನ್ನು ಮುಕ್ತಾಯಗೊಳಿಸಿ ವಾಹನಗಳನ್ನು ತಮ್ಮ ಸುಪರ್ದಿಗೆ ಪಡೆಯಲು ಕೋರಿದೆ. ತಪ್ಪಿದಲ್ಲಿ ವಾಹನಗಳನ್ನು ಬಹಿರಂಗ ಹರಾಜು ಮೂಲಕ ವಿಲೇವಾರಿಗೊಳಿಸಲಾಗುವುದು.

ಕ್ರ ಸಂ.	ವಾಹನ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ	ವಾಹನ ವರ್ಗ	ಸಿ.ಆರ್. ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ ಮತ್ತು ದಿನಾಂಕ	ಮಾಲೀಕರ ವಿಳಾಸ	ಆರ್ಥಿಕ ನೆರವುದಾರರು	ಬಾಕಿ ತೆರಿಗೆ (ರೂ.ಗಳಲ್ಲಿ)
1	UP-32-AL-0429	Motor Cycle	0238664/ 06.06.2014	M/s Mansi Agarwal, S/o K K Agrawal No.2/128 Vikram Kand Gomathinagar, Lucknow - 999999	—	LTT paid
2	TN-23-AK-8407	Motor Cycle	0327087/ 13.12.2013	Ansari.S s/o Sharif, Old No.1 New No.9 subedarstreet, Saidapet Vellur - 632001	Sriram City Union Finance Ltd.,	LTT paid
3	KA-04-ED-9254	Motor Cycle	0684415/ 04.04.2019	Kiran Kumar V.T / Dr. Tamme Gowda M No.81, MAS Layout 3rd Cross, Vidyaranayapura Bengaluru - 560097	—	LTT paid
4	KA-01-W-1996	Motor Cycle	0684414/ 04.04.2019	Lalith Kumar Arora / Mansingh 10, 6th Cross, 8th Main, Viveknagar, Bengaluru	—	LTT paid
5	DL-03-AK-7923	LMV	0238598/ 14.08.2014	M/s Track Component Pvt. Ltd., No.1/31, Azad Apartment, Sri Aurobindo Marg New Delhi-110016	—	LTT paid
6	DL-03-CW-6961	LMV	0327283/ 04.01.2014	M/s Spot Support India Ltd, B/21 Mariana Vihar New Delhi-110088	—	LTT paid
7	KA-05-A-6216	A/R	0469109/ 18.06.2015	Farooq Pasha s/o Ameer Jan No.165, 2nd cross, Govindapuram, Bengaluru-560045	Varamahalakshmi Finance No.29, Ramakrishna Mata Road, Ulsoor, Bangalore-08	LTT paid
8	KA-03-AD-4787	A/R	0684938/ 09.07.2019	Sri Lokesh S/o Sanju No 464, Poornima, Building Near MMA Temple, SG Palya CV Ramannagar, Bengaluru-560073	TVS Credit Service Ltd, No.29, Hand House Jayalakshmi ST Nagaramakkam Chennai-600016	LTT paid

ಸಹಿ/– ಪ್ರಾದೇಶಿಕ ಸಾರಿಗೆ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿ
ಕೆ.ಆರ್.ಪುರ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು–49
DIPR/CP/119/Yakshi/2022-23
ಕೋವಿಡ್–19. ಆತಂಕ ಬೇಡ; ಮುನ್ನೆಚ್ಚರಿಕೆ ಇರಲಿ.
ಮಾಸ್ಕ್ ಧರಿಸಿ | 6 ಅಡಿ ದೈಹಿಕ ಅಂತರ ಪಾಲಿಸಿ | ಕೈಗಳ ಸ್ವಚ್ಛತೆ ಕಾಪಾಡಿಕೊಳ್ಳಿ

GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA
OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER, KALAHANDI RWS&S DIVISON, BHAWANIPATNA.
e- mail : eerwsskld@gmail.com, eerwss_kld@nic.in, Phone No: 06670-230784
CORRIGENDUM FOR INVITATION OF BID THROUGH e-TENDERING
Bid Identification No- 01/SE/RWSS/ 2022-23 / Bpt Dated.02.04.2022
O-65
01. Name of the work :- As per ANNEXURE - A

Procurement Officer	Bid Identification No	Availability of tender online for bidding on office hour only. From	To	Date of opening (Technical Bid)
1	2	3	4	5
Superintending Engineer, Kalahandi RWS&S Division, Bhawanipatna	01/SE/RWSS/ 2022-23 /Bpt Dated- 02.04.2022	16.04.2022 10.00 AM	06.05.2022 05.30 PM	07.05.2022 10.00 AM onwards

Bid Security Declaration Form is applicable instead of 1% EMD of estimated cost vide Finance Department order no.8484, dt.05.04.2022
Cost of tender paper to be made online payment system. Further details can be seen from the e-procurement portal http://tenderodisha.gov.in. The original documents should be scanned and uploaded. All other terms & conditions are unchanged.
Sd/- Superintending Engineer,
Kalahandi RWS&S Division, Bhawanipatna OIPR- 25005/11/0002/2223

GOVERNMENT OF TAMIL NADU
VILLUPURAM HIGHWAYS, (Construction & Maintenance) CIRCLE
T.N.NO. 2/2022-23 / HDO. **TENDER NOTICE** DATED: 11 .04 .2022
For and on behalf of the Governor of Tamil Nadu, **Percentage tender through online under Two Cover System** will be received upto 04.05.2022, 15.00 hours by the Superintending Engineer (H), C&M, Villupuram Circle for CRIDP 2021-22 One work for Villupuram (H) C&M Division.
Details of work, approximate value of work, EMD, availability of tender document and all other details are available from 16.04.2022 onwards in the Government website https://tntenders.gov.in If any Changes / Corrections in the tender, it will be published in the above Government website only
DIPR /1751/ Tender / 2022
Superintending Engineer (H) C & M Circle, Villupuram

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank

सिंडिकेट Syndicate

Hombegowdanagar Branch : Bangalore 560 027.
PH : 080-22225388, 9483531371. email: cb1371@canarabank.com

POSSESSION NOTICE (for Immovable property)

Whereas, The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the Canara Bank under Securitisation And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (Act 54 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a Demand Notice dated **09.02.2022** calling upon the borrower **M/s.HIZ TRAVEL NETWORK PRIVATE LIMITED** to repay the amount mentioned in the notice, being **Rs.1,82,46,778.90 (Rupees One Crore Eighty Two Lakhs Forty Six Thousand Seven Hundred Seventy Eight and Paise Ninety Only)** within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general, that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him / her under section 13 (4) of the said Act, read with Rule 8 & 9 of the said Rule on this **11th day of April of the year 2022.**

The borrower in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the **CANARA BANK** for an amount of **Rs.1,82,46,778.90** and interest thereon.

The borrower's attention is invited to the provisions of Section 13(8) of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

All that part and parcel of land and building situated at property bearing Flat No.D-1, 3rd Floor, "ESTEEM SPLENDOUR", Opp.Adugodi Police Station, Hosur Road, Koramangala, Bangalore-560 030, Karnataka and Bounded on the **East by :** Driveway, **West by :** Flat No.D-10, **North by :** Driveway and **South by :** Flat No.D-2.

Date : 11.04.2022 — Authorised Officer
Place : Bangalore — Canara Bank

Union Bank of India

Bidadi Branch, Mysore Road,
Near Bus stand, Bidadi, Bangalore - 562109

NOTICE TO BORROWER / GUARANTOR UNDER SUB-SECTION (2) OF SECTION 13 OF THE SARFAESI ACT, 2002

At your request, Bank has extended credit facilities to the below mentioned individuals against secured assets through its **Union Bank of India, Bidadi Branch,** the relevant particulars of the property on which you have created security interest by execution of security agreement/documents & creation of mortgage by way deposit of title deeds are furnished hereunder. As the operation and conduct of the financial assistance/ credit facilities have become irregular, the debts have been classified as Non Performing Assets in accordance with the directives/guidelines issued by Reserve Bank of India consequent to the default committed by the borrowers in repayment of the principal debt and interest thereon. As the demand notice sent by register AD calling upon you, was un-served/not acknowledged, this publication is now issued.

Name and address of the Borrower/Guarantor: (1). Mr. Murali B, #213-2, Byramangala, Bidadi Hobli, Ramanagar Dist, **(2). Mrs. Navya R,** W/o Mr.Murali B, #213-2, Byramangala, Bidadi Hobli, Ramanagar Dist,

Facility / Loan	Limit Sanctioned (Rs)	Running Ledger O/s Rs.	D/L interest Rs as on 11.02.2022	Outstanding as on 11.02.2022
56033100 0015648	5,00,000/-	4,96,000/-	1,42,005/-	6,38,005/-

Description of the secured assets: Residential Site measuring 4536 Sq ft bearing Kaneshumari No. 460/123/1 of Byramangala Village, Bidadi Hobli, Ramanagara Tq. In the name of Navya R, **Bounded by: East:** House of Anand, **West:** House of Chandramma, **North:** House of Ramesh and **South:** Private property.

Amount Outstanding: Rs. 6,38,005/- (Rupees Six Lakh Thirty Eight Thousand Five only) as on **11.02.2022** and interest from **11.02.2022** with other Charges.

NPA Date: 30.12.2021 — **Demand Notice Date: 15.02.2022**

If you fail to repay the aforesaid sum with interest and incidental expenses within 60 days from the date of this notice, Bank shall exercise all or any of the rights detailed under sub section (4) of the section 13 of the SARFAESI Act. You are also put on notice that in terms of sub section 13 of section 13 you shall not transfer by sale, lease or otherwise the said secured assets detailed above without obtaining written consent of the Bank. This notice is without prejudice to the Banks rights to initiate such other action or legal proceedings as it deem necessary under any other applicable provisions of law. Please also note that as per section 13(8) of the Act, you may redeem the secured asset by remitting the amount demanded above together with all costs, charges and expenses incurred tous, at any time before the date of publication of notice for public auction or inviting quotations or tenders from public or private treaty for transfer by way of lease, assignment or sale of the secured asset(s).

Place: Bangalore, — **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Date: 12.04.2022 — **Union Bank of India**

PUBLIC NOTICE

It is represented to the undersigned by **M/s. Sterling Urban Condominiums Private Limited** having its registered office at Unit No. 501, Prestige Nebula, No. 8, Cubbon Road, Bengaluru-560001 ('**Owner**') that the below mentioned original documents pertaining to the below mentioned survey numbers all situated at Chikkabanahalli Village, Bidarhalli Hobli, Bengaluru East Taluk have been lost/misplaced:

1. Sale Deed dated 03-01-1966, executed by Sri. Yallappa, son of Sri. Kurigala Munishamappa in favour of Smt. Munibalamma, daughter of Sri. Munishamappa, registered vide Document No. 3458/1966-67 of Book I, in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Hosakote with respect to Survey No. 49, measuring 08 guntas.
2. Sale Deed dated 12-06-1973 executed by Smt. Munibalamma, daughter of Sri. Munishamappa in favour of Sri. Yellappa, son of Sri. Kurigala Munishamappa, registered vide Document No.1146/1973-74 of Book I, in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Hosakote with respect to Survey No. 49 measuring 08 guntas.
3. Sale Deed dated 07-04-1975 executed by Sri. Yellappa, son of Sri. Munishamappa in favour of Sri. Chikka Abbaiah, son of Sri. Kurigala Munishamappa, registered vide Document No. 79/1975-76 of Book I, Volume 1445 at Pages 32 to 35, in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Hosakote with respect to Survey No. 49, measuring 14 guntas and Survey No 51, measuring 07 guntas.
4. Rectification Deed dated 13-02-1987 executed by Sri. Muniyappa, son of Sri. Jangamaiah alias Sri. Jangamappa in favour of Sri. Keshavalu Naidu, son of Krishnappa Naidu, registered vide Document No. 7440/1986-87 of Book I, Volume 2537, at Pages 244 to 246, in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Bengaluru East Taluk, Bengaluru with respect to Survey No. 44/1, measuring 2 acres.
5. Gift Deed dated 18-09-1975 executed by Sri. C. Venkatappa, son of Sri. Mylappa, in favour of Sri. A. Nanjunda Reddy, registered vide Document No. 2144/1975-76 of Book I, Volume 1460, at Pages 143 to 145 in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Hosakote, with respect to Survey No. 45/2, measuring 01 acre.
6. Sale Deed dated 15-09-1974 executed by Sri. Nanjappa, son of Sri. Vajjappa in favour of Sri. B. Anjanappa, son of Sri. Bandeppa, registered vide Document No. 4140/1974-75 of Book I, Volume 1420, at Pages 90 to 91, in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Hosakote with respect to Survey No. 59/1, measuring 17 guntas.
7. Sale Deed dated 11-08-1994 executed by Sri. Nanjappa, son of Sri. Vajjappa in favour of Sri. Nagaraju, son of Sri. Chikkathayappa, registered vide Document No. 4022/1994-95 of Book I, Volume 848, at Pages 73 to 79, in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Krishnarajapura, Bengaluru with respect to Survey No. 59/1 measuring 30 guntas.
8. Sale Deed dated 12-02-1970 executed by Sri. Muniyappa alias Thoti Muniyappa, son of Sri. Thoti Thimmaiah alias Thimmaiah in favour of Sri. Muniyappa, son of Sri. Munivenkatappa, registered vide Document No. 3681/1969-70 of Book I, Volume 1265, Pages 169 to 170, in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Hosakote with respect to portion of Survey No. 70, measuring 3 guntas.
9. Agreement of Sale dated 24-01-1974 entered between Sri. K. Mariyappa, son of Sri. Krishnappa and Sri. Muniyappa, son of Sri. Bandeppa with respect to Survey No. 13 (Block-F), measuring 24 guntas.
10. Sale Deed dated 24-12-1974 executed by Sri. Dasappa, son of Sri. Munishamappa in favour of Sri. Munivenkatappa, son of Sri. Dasappa registered vide Document No. 4714/1974-75 of Book I, Volume 1422, Pages 65 to 67 in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Hosakote, with respect to Survey No. 13 (Block-C), measuring 33 guntas.
11. Agreement of Sale dated 24-01-1974 entered between Sri. Abdul Rasheed alias Abdul Rasheed Sab, son of Sri. Abdul Raheem Sab and Sri. B. Muniyappa, son of Sri. Bandeppa, with respect to Survey No. 13 (Block-E), measuring 1 acre.
12. Sale Deed dated 24-12-1974 executed by Sri. Muniyappa, son of Sri. Jangamappa in favour of Sri. Munivenkatappa, son of Sri. Dasappa registered vide Document No. 4715/1974-75 of Book I, Volume 1425, Pages 1 to 2 in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Hosakote, with respect to Survey No. 13 (Block -D), measuring 33 guntas.
13. Sale Deed dated 26-05-1973 executed by Sri. Subbaiah, son of Sri. Muniyappa in favour of Sri. Bandeppa, son of Sri. Dasappa, registered vide Document No. 897/1973-74 of Book I, Volume 1363, Pages 228 to 230 in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Hosakote, with respect to Survey No. 13 (Block-B), measuring 3 acres.

It is further represented that the Owner has not mortgaged and have not created any lien or encumbered the Schedule Property in any manner. Any person/s in possession of the aforesaid original documents shall return the same to the undersigned or lodge their claims with documentary evidence **within seven (07) days** from the date of this notice.

Jayanth M Pattanshetti, Advocate,
Jayanth Pattanshetti Associates LLP
102, Ground Floor "Rams Infantry Manor", No.70, Infantry Road, Bengaluru-560001. Ph: 080 41238516 / 41238367

Place : Bengaluru
Date : 12-04-2022

PUBLIC NOTICE

I ROOPA, W/o. Late. Narasimha Murthy, Aged about 47 Years Residing at #28, 6th Cross, 3rd Main Road, Divanara Palya, Gokul Layout, Bangalore-560054.
I state that, mother deed documents' in the name of my husband late. Narasimha Murthy is lost/misplaced in our house. Registered Sale Deed vide Doc No. BYP-1-01742-2012-13, CD No. BYPD120 of bearing site No. 52, Assessment No. 108, Old Khata No. 196 and New Khata No. 308/52, Under BBMP Jurisdiction, situated in Singapura Village, Yalahanka Hobli, and Bangalore North. I requesting u to grant me a certified copy's of above mentioned Schedule property. And also I have Registering a FIR copy for above mentioned lost/misplaced documents of schedule property.
I do hereby state and verify that the contents of this Affidavit are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief, no part of it is false and nothing material has been concealed there from. Any persons in possession of the afore said document may return the same to me or anyone having any sort of claim, however the said property may lodge their objection in writing within 15 days from this date to the undersigned.

S.R. RAVIKUMAR, B.Com.LLB
ADVOCATE & NOTARY
No. 49/A, 5th 'A' Cross, Subbanna Garden
Vijayanagar. BENGALURU 560 040

Place: Bangalore. Date: 12/04/2022

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IDFC FIRST Bank

(Erstwhile Capital First Limited And Amalgamated With Idfc Bank Limited)
CIN : L65110TN2014PLC097792
Registered Office : KRM Towers, 8th Floor, Harrington Road, Chetpet, Chennai - 600031. TEL: +91 44 4564 4000 | FAX: +91 44 4564 4022.

APPENDIX IV [Rule 8(1)]
POSSESSION NOTICE (For immovable property)

Whereas The Undersigned Being The Authorised Officer Of The **IDFC First Bank Limited (Erstwhile Capital First Limited And Amalgamated With IDFC Bank Limited)** Under The Securitization And Reconstruction Of Financial Assets And Enforcement Of Security Interest Act, 2002 And In Exercise Of Powers Conferred Under Section 13(12) Read With Rule 3 Of The Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 Issued A Demand Notice Dated **09.10.2021** Calling Upon The Borrower, Co-Borrowers And Guarantors **1. Shivareddy Y, 2. Jyothi N,** To Repay The Amount Mentioned In The Notice Being **Rs. 6,25,254.17/- (Rupees Six Lac Twenty Five Thousand Two Hundred Fifty Four And Seventeen Paisa Only)** As On **06.10.2021** Within 60 Days From The Date Of Receipt Of The Said Notice.

The Borrowers Having Failed To Repay The Amount, Notice Is Hereby Given To The Borrower And The Public In General That The Undersigned Has Taken Symbolic Possession Of The Property Described Herein Below In Exercise Of Powers Conferred On Him Under Sub – Section (4) Of Section 13 Of Act Read With Rule 8 Of The Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 On This **12th Day Of April 2022.**

The Borrowers In Particular And The Public In General Is Hereby Cautioned Not To Deal With The Property And Any Dealings With The Property Will Be Subject To The Charge Of The **IDFC First Bank Limited (Erstwhile Capital First Limited And Amalgamated With IDFC Bank Limited)** For An Amount Of **Rs.6,25,254.17/- (Rupees Six Lac Twenty Five Thousand Two Hundred Fifty Four And Seventeen Paisa Only)** And Interest Thereon.

The Borrower's Attention Is Invited To Provisions Of Sub – Section (8) Of Section 13 Of The Act, In Respect Of Time Available, To Redeem The Secured Assets.

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES.

All That Piece And Parcel Of The Property Bearing Site No. 53, Measuring East To West 40 Feet. And North To South 30 Feet. Formed In Land Bearing Survey No. 89/2b, Khata No. 89 Of Kukkenahalli Village, Dasanapura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, And **Bounded As: East :** Property Bearing Site No. 83 **West :** Road **North :** Property Bearing Site No. 54 **South :** Road

Date : 12-04-2022
Place : Bangalore.
Loan Account No. : 12493897.

Sd/-
Authorised Officer
IDFC First Bank Limited
(Erstwhile Capital First Limited And Amalgamated With IDFC Bank Limited)

CITY UNION BANK LIMITED

CUB TRUST AND EXCELLENCE SINCE 1904

Credit Recovery and Management Department
Administrative Office : No. 24-B, Gandhi Nagar, Kumbakonam - 612 001. **E-Mail id :** crmd@cityunionbank.in, **Ph :** 0435-2432322, **Fax :** 0435-2431746

PUBLICATION - DEMAND NOTICE

Notice under Section 13(2) of The Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 - Sent on **15-02-2022** by Registered Post with Acknowledgement Due and the same was **returned by all.** Hence this.

No.1) Mr. M. Govindaraju, S/o. Late Jalage Munishamappa, At No.89/202, Vayuputhra Service Station, behind Kogilu, Yelahanga, Bangalore - 560064. No.2) Mr. G. Ranjith, S/o. M. Govindaraju, at No.89/202, Vayuputhra Service Station, behind Kogilu, Yelahanga, Bangalore - 560064. No.3) Mrs. R. Rathnammal, W/o. M. Govindaraju, at No.89/202, Vayuputhra Service Station, behind Kogilu, Yelahanga, Bangalore - 560064. No.4) Mr. G. Sridhar, S/o. M. Govindaraju, at No.89/202, Vayuputhra Service Station, Behind Kogilu, Yelahanga, Bangalore - 560064.

Dear Sir/ Madam,

Sub : Loan account / Overdraft with City Union Bank Limited, Bengaluru-Yelahanga Branch in the name of Mr. M. Govindaraju.

The Bank issued Notice under the SARFAESI Act on **15-02-2022** calling upon Nos. 1 to 4 of you jointly and severally towards the loan account 501312030010468 is **Rs.70,61,036/- (Rupees Seventy Lakh Sixty One Thousand and Thirty Six only)** as on **13-02-2022** with further interest for 501312030010468 at **11.25%** plus **2.00%** penal interest p.a. (not compounded) with monthly rests from **14-02-2022** till the date of repayment. The Notice sent to you by **Registered Post have been returned by all.**

Therefore, we hereby once again call upon Nos. 1 to 4 of you jointly and severally towards the loan account 501312030010468 is **Rs.70,61,036/- (Rupees Seventy Lakh Sixty One Thousand and Thirty Six only)** with further interest for 501312030010468 at **11.25%** plus **2.00%** penal interest p.a. (not compounded) with monthly rests from **14-02-2022** till the date of repayment within **60 days** from the date of this notice failing which Bank will be Constrained to exercise its rights of enforcement of security interest as against the secured assets given in the Schedule hereunder. This Notice is published/issued without prejudice to any other right/remedy available to the Bank.

Immovable Property Mortgaged to our Bank
Schedule - A : (Property Owned by Mr. M. Govindaraju, S/o. Late Jalage Munishamappa)

All that piece and parcel of the Property bearing No.202/89 Situated at Kogilu Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore Now Ward No.05 of Jakkur, Kogilu. Now Comes Under the Administrative Jurisdiction of BBMP, admeasuring 21,470 Sq. feet within that 6,400 Sq.feet and bounded on : East by : Remaining portion same Sy.No.89, West by: Property in Sy No.90, North by : Remaining portion same Sy No.89, South by : Road.

Place : Kumbakonam, Date : 08-04-2022 — **Authorised Officer**

Regd. Office : 149, T.S.R. (Big) Street, Kumbakonam, Thanjavur District, Tamil Nadu - 612 001, **CIN -** L65110TN1904PLC001287, **Telephone No.** 0435-2402322, **Fax :** 0435-2431746, **Website :** www.cityunionbank.com

RAIL COACH FACTORY, KAPURTHALA

On-line bids are invited by PCMM/RCF on behalf of President of India for following items:-

Sr. No.	Tender No. & Due Date	Description	Qty. (Nos./Sets)	EMD (₹)
1.	13225285 05/05/2022	Early Warning Aspiration based Smoke Detection System and Clean Agent based Automatic Fire Suppression System, as per MECH/ M&P/ 3600/GM/16 **(PL No.: N6415429)**	01 Nos.	86,000/-
2.	13215899C 09/05/2022	Digital Universal Tensile Testing Machine (10 KN) along with accessories, details as per specification No. QMTS: 014 dated: 01.06.2021 **(PL No.: N8347297)**	1	Nil
3.	13215721B 09/05/2022	Unloading System for CNC Laser Cutting & Welding Machine as per specification No. MECH/ M&P/ 3600/01 **(PL No.: N6732103)**	1 Nos.	3,00,000/-
4.	12221112 10/05/2022	Foot Plate arrangement for MEMU 3 Phase Coaches	417 Nos.	54,330/-
5.	12221110 06/05/2022	Retention Tank (RH) without Flushing arrangement	998 Nos.	20,00,000/-
		Retention Tank (LH) without Flushing arrangement	1080 Nos.	
6.	05221162 05/05/2022	Cross Member	5050 Nos.	2,44,080/-
7.	05221163 04/05/2022	Schaku Semi-Permanent Coupler End-B and End-A	101 Nos.	2,34,540/-
8.	01211339A 05/05/2022	Centring Disc	9434 Nos.	79,180/-
9.	01221013A 06/05/2022	Set of Lever for MEMU	277 Set	Nil
10.	02221084 05/05/2022	Multi-Core Cables (7 Types)	189100 Mtrs.	9,00,730/-
11.	02221104 06/05/2022	4 & 6 Sqmm. Thin Walled Flex. Elast. Cables (7 Types)	66500 Mtrs.	79,430/-
12.	02221042 18/05/2022	1.5 & 2.5 Sqmm. Thin Walled Flex. Elast. Cables (13 Types)	923000 Mtrs.	4,63,340/-
13.	02221111 11/05/2022	25 Sqmm. Thin Walled Flex. Elast. Cables (10 Types)	44300 Mtrs.	3,03,520/-
14.	02221128 26/05/2022	Cable Marking System	340 Set	52,610/-

1. For details and making On-line tenders, visit Website **http://ireps.gov.in.** Drawings/specifications, wherever required can be downloaded from RCF Website **http://www.rcf.indianrailways.gov.in.** Class IIIb digital signature certificate required for on-line bidding, can be obtained from licensed certifying agencies listed at **http://www.cce.gov.in.** 2. Tenders will close at 14.25 Hrs. on due date and will be opened at 14.30 Hrs. Tenders Sr. No. 1 to 5 will be opened at RCF Kapurthala and Sr. No. 6 to 14 will be opened at Tilak Bridge, New Delhi. 3. For queries, contact IREPS Helpdesk at 011-24102855, 011-24105180 or RCF helpdesk at 011-23378658.
Note: GST Number of RCF is 03AAAGM0289C1ZT. All the suppliers are advised to quote this in dispatch documents for the supplies made by them.

CORRIGENDUM

Bidders may please note the following changes against following e-tender and quote accordingly:- **(1)** Tender No. **12221031** for procurement of set of Hand Holds arrangement for MEMU 3PH & MEMUT3PH Coaches due date to be read as 18.04.2022 instead of 12.04.2022 **(2)** Tender No. **12221053** for Item set of Luggage Rack due date to be read as 25.04.2022 instead of 13.04.2022 **(3)** Tender No. **12221063** for Item Luggage Rack Complete due date to be read as 25.04.2022 instead of 13.04.2022

PCMM

T. No.: G-RCF/122/Stores/009/2022-23 — **Dated: 12.04.2022**

STATE BANK OF INDIA

HAROHALLI BRANCH (BRANCH CODE-13388)
CHAMUNDESHWARI LAYOUT,
BANGALORE - KANAKAPURA ROAD, HAROHALLI.
TEL NO. 080-272563453 / E.MAIL: sbi.13388@sbi.co.in

POSSESSION NOTICE (For Immovable property) [Rule 8(1)]

TL - A/C No. 64045299160 / DRS

Whereas, the undersigned being the authorised officer of the **State Bank of India Harohalli Branch, Harohalli Ramanagara Dist.,** under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (12) read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a **Demand Notice dated 28.01.2022** calling upon the **Borrowers : Sri. R. C. Nagesh, S/o. Channegowda, No.2183/1673, Ranganatha Extension, Harohalli Hobli, Harohalli Town, Kanakapura Taluk - 562112.** to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.16,61,145/- (Rupees Sixteen Lakh Sixty One Thousand One Hundred Forty Five only)** within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the **undersigned has taken possession** of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under Sub Section 4 of Section 13 of Act read with rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) **Rules, 2002 on this 12.04.2022**

The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealing with the property will be subject to the charge of the State Bank of India for an amount **Rs.16,85,801/- (Rupees Sixteen Lakh Eighty Five Thousand Eight Hundred one Only) as on 05.04.2022 and interest from 06.04.2022** *charges thereon* till the realization of the dues. The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of Sub Section (8) of the Section 13 of the Act, in respect of, time available to redeem the secured Assets.

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the Residential site property bearing Katha No.932/968, New No.2183/ 1673, Measuring East to West - 50 Ft. & North to South - 30 ft. Situated at Harohalli Town, Harohalli Hobli, Kanakapura Taluk, Ramanagara Dist, and Bounded on :- **East by :** Road, **West by :** Site Property of Murali, bearing Site No.1, **North by :** Property of Smt. Shantha, **South by :** Road.

Place : Harohalli — **Sd/- Authorised Officer, STATE BANK OF INDIA**
Date : 12-04-2022 — **Harohalli BRANCH**

The National Co-Operative Bank Ltd.,

No.73/1, Gandhi Bazaar Main Road, Bangalore - 560 004.
Ph: 080-22421998, 26618092, 26618093, Fax : 2661 9950, E-mail: admin.ao@ncbl.org.in

POSSESSION NOTICE

Whereas the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of **The National Co-Operative Bank Limited.,** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest (Second) Ordinance, 2002 (Ord.3 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a Demand Notices calling upon the Borrowers / Mortgagors / Guarantors to repay the amount mentioned in the notice within **60 days** from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The Borrower and the co-obligant having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower/co-obligant and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under Section 13(4) of the ordinance read with rule 9 of the said rule below mentioned dates.

The borrower and the co-obligant in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of **The National Co-Operative Bank Limited.,** for an amount with interest and Other Charges mentioned below.

1. Name and Address of the Borrower / Co-Borrower / Mortgagor / Guarantor : Sri.Suraj M. No.C0634, 4th Floor, Brigade Meadows, Kanakapura Main Road, Bengaluru-560 062 and the **co-obligants (1) Smt.Pooja S.L** W/o Suraj M, No.C0634, 4th Floor, Brigade Meadows, Kanakapura Main Road, Bengaluru-560 062,

Total amount mentioned in the notice : Rs.69,91,033/- (Rupees Sixty Nine Lakhs Ninety One Thousand Thirty Three Only) and interest thereon from **01.12.2021** & Cost to other charges and expenses there on

Demand Notice Dated : 30.12.2021 Possession Notice Date: 07.04.2022

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY SCHEDULE

ANNEXURE : SCHEDULE-B: All that piece and parcel of Land Dwelling houses and out houses, wells, trees and drains and planted and situated and floors/ outhouses here in after to be built, planted together with all rights and easements pertaining thereto and here after and enjoyed and acquired house Property bearing No.279, House List/ Flat No.G1, Ground Floor, New BBMP Katha No.1579/4196/279/G-1, "South Avenue", Mudra Yugo", Gottigere Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangaluru South Taluk, with Super built up area 1300 Sq.ft and undivided share of 555 Sq.ft and bounded on: East by : Park, West by : House bearing No.G2, North by : Road, South by : Private Property.

2. Name and Address of the Borrower / Co-Borrower / Mortgagor / Guarantor : Sri. Aghamarshan S.H. S/o. Dr.Srinivasamurthy S.V, residing at No.P.206, Prestine Sindhu Apartment, 2nd Floor, Near Hill Side Public School, Raghuvanahalli, Bengaluru- 560 062 and the **co-obligants (1) Sri.Dr.Srinivasamurthy S.V.** No. P.206, Prestine Sindhu Apartment, 2nd Floor, Near Hill Side Public School, Raghuvanahalli, Bengaluru- 560 062 **(2) Smt. Swarna Murthy.** No.P.206, Prestine Sindhu Apartment, 2nd Floor, Near Hill Side Public School, Raghuvanahalli, Bengaluru- 560 062

Total amount mentioned in the notice : Rs.10,67,007/- (Rupees Ten Lakhs Sixty Seven Thousand Seven only) and interest thereon from **01.01.2022** & Cost to other charges and expenses there on.

Demand Notice Dated : 31.01.2022 Possession Notice Date: 07.04.2022

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY SCHEDULE

ANNEXURE : SCHEDULE-B: All that piece and parcel of the property bearing No.47/1/5, 11th Cross, Govinayanakanahalli, BBMP Ward No.55, Bengaluru-560 078. Measuring East to West 45 feet and North to South 30 feet, all measuring 1350 Sq.ft. and bounded on: East by: K.Muniyappa's Property, West by: 50 feet Road, North by: Murudappa's Property, South by: Ramappa's Property

Date : 07.04.2022 — **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place : Bengaluru — **The National Co-Operative Bank Limited.,**

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PUBLIC NOTICE

KOSHYS HOSPITAL
T.C.Palya Road, Ramamurthynagar, Bangalore-560016.

The management has decided to discard old medical records from January 2017 ((KH17-1) to march 2019 (kh19-5506) of opd files and from January 2017 (KH17-1) to march 2017 (KH-4179) in patient files. the hard copies of the said records will be available for a period of 30 days.
MEDICAL DIRECTOR.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA, AT BENGALURU

PROBATE CIVIL PETITION No. 5/2022
IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF MR. R. SIVASUBRAMANIAN (SINCE DECEASED)

BETWEEN: 1. MR. SIVASUBRAMANIAN BALAJI, Aged about 48 years, Son of late R. Sivasubramanian, Residing at Villa No.21, Prestige Regent Place, Thubarahalli, Whitefield-Varthur Main Road, Bengaluru 560066
2. MR. GANESH SIVASUBRAMANIAN, Aged about 52 years, Son of late R. Sivasubramanian, Residing at Suite 913, 230, Woodridge Crescent, Nepean Ontario k2b 82 Canada
Represented by his Power of Attorney Holder, **Mr.Sivasubramanian Balaji...PETITIONERS**
AND
NIL ...RESPONDENT

WHEREAS the Petitioners above named have made a Petition dated 02.03.2022 under Part IX (Sections 222, 273, 276 & 300) of the Indian Succession Act of 1925) for grant of Probate of the Last Will and Testament of **MR.R.SIVASUBRAMANIAN** who died on 04.01.2021 in Bengaluru in respect of the property of the deceased.
Be it known that no Caveat has been entered and that the said petition is posted for hearing on the **Twenty Fifth** day of **May, Two Thousand and Twenty Two (25.05.2022),** and all persons claiming to have any interest in the estate of the Deceased may come and see the proceedings before the grant of Probate.
Given under my hand and seal of this Court, this the **Twenty Ninth** day of **March, 2022.**

By order of the Court
Assistant Registrar
High Court of Karnataka
Bengaluru - 560001

Counsel for the Petitioners :
Vir Anthony Britto
Advocate
No.168, 9th Cross, Indiranagar I Stage
Bengaluru - 560038.

Union Bank of India — Bhuvaneshwari Nagar Branch,

No. 70 & 71, Dasarahalli Village Road, Kempapura Hebbal
Bangalore - 560 024 Ph: 080-22958270
Email: ubin0556491@unionbankofindia.bank

Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Property

E-Auction Sale Notice for 30 days Sale of immovable Assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rule, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/ charged to the Secured Creditor, the symbolic possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of Union Bank of India (secured Creditor) will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is" and "whatever there is" on the date mentioned below, for recovery of dues as mentioned hereunder to Union bank of India from the below mentioned Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s). The Reserve Price and the Earnest Money Deposit are also mentioned hereunder:

Branch Name and Address: Union Bank of India, Bhuvaneshwari Nagar Branch, No. 70 & 71, Dasarahalli Village Road, Bhuvaneshwari Nagar, Bengaluru - 560024, Ph- 080- 22958267,270,

Name of the Borrower & Guarantor: Mr.Shantharaj M, No.22, Mahima Mane Vidyasagar, Saraipalya, Dr.Shivaramakarantha Nagar, Thanisandra, Bangalore-560077.

Amount due: Union Home-Rs. 10,44,259.44 (Rupees Ten Lakh Fourty Four Thousand Two Hundred Fifty Nine and Forty Four Paise Only) and interest from **02.03.2022** and other charges

Description of immovable secured assets to be Sold : All that piece and parcel of property bearing Site No. 22, Khatha No.966/A situated at Vidhyasagar (Sari Palya) Village, Thanisandra Dhakle, K R Puram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk Bangalore.
Site No.22: Measuring East to West: 40 Feet, North to South: 30 Feet in all totally measuring 1200 Square Feet and Bounded on East by: Site No.25, West by: 20 Feet Road, North by: Site No.21, South by: Site No.23.

Date and time of E-Auction: 20.05.2022 auction from 11.00 AM to 02.00 PM (with 10 min unlimited auto extensions) E-auction website www.mstcecommerce.com

Reserve Price: Rs. 99.42 Lakhs — **EMD: Rs. 9.94 Lakhs**

For Registration related queries e-mail to ibapiop@mstcecommerce.com, For EMD payment/refund related queries e-mail to ibapifin@mstcecommerce.com For Registration and Login and Bidding Rules visit https://www.mstcecommerce.com/ auctionhome/ibapi/index.jsp and Click "Buyer Guide for Login and Registration Intending bidders may download at free of cost, copies of sale notice, Terms and Conditions of e.auction Help Manual on operational part of e-auction from e-Bkray - IBAPI portal (https://www.ibapi.in) For auction related queries e-mail to sarfaesi@ unionbankofindia.com or contact Union Bank Of India Bhuvaneshwari Nagar Branch in the above address & Mail Id and contact the branch Manager mobile no./ Authorised officer mobile No. 9051938223.

Date: 12.04.2022 — **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place: Bangalore — **Union Bank of India**

Union Bank of India — Jalabhavan Branch,

Ground Floor, "Right Wing"
No. 6, 1st Stage, 1st Phase, BTM Layout,
Bannerghatta Road, Bengaluru - 560 029

NOTICE TO BORROWER / GUARANTOR UNDER SUB-SECTION (2) OF SECTION 13 OF THE SARFAESI ACT, 2002

At your request, Bank has extended credit facilities to the below mentioned individuals against secured assets through its **Union Bank of India, Jalabhavan Branch,** the relevant particulars of the property on which you have created security interest by execution of security agreement/documents & creation of mortgage by way deposit of title deeds are furnished hereunder. As the operation and conduct of the financial assistance/ credit facilities have become irregular, the debts have been classified as Non Performing Assets in accordance with the directives/guidelines issued by Reserve Bank of India consequent to the default committed by the borrowers in repayment of the principal debt and interest thereon. As the demand notice sent by register AD calling upon you, was un-served / not acknowledged, this publication is now issued.

Name & address of the Borrower/Guarantor/Mortgager: (1) Mrs. Reshma Begum (2) Mr. Basha Khan (Co-Obligant/Guarantor) both are residing at: No. 5/6, Old No. 5, Classic 1st Cross, kendra Upadyayara Sangha Layout, Teachers Colony, Opposite to PSTI, Banashankari 2nd Stage, Near Ganesh Mandir, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore-560070

Facility / Loan	Limit Sanctioned (Rs)	Outstanding as on 04.05.2021
CHOME-560631000855929	Rs. 74,00,000.00	Rs. 76,73,225.00
Total	Rs. 74,00,000.00	Rs. 76,73,225.00

Description of the secured assets: Schedule-A: All that piece and parcel of the Vacant Site No. C-1, BBMP Khatha No. 1126/426/41/2/773 measuring East to West: On the Northern Side: 86ft, Southern Side: 77.06ft and North to South 104 ft, totally measuring 8502 sq.ft carved out of Sy.No. 4/1, situated at Sarakki Kere Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore converted for non-agriculture residential purpose vide conversion order dated 21.01.2003 vide B.DIS.ALN.SR(S)300/2002-03 and Bounded on: East by: Road, West by: Private Property, North by: Property belonging to Sri. M Mohan Kumar, South by: Property belonging to Sri. P Hari.
Schedule - B: All that piece and parcel of 431 and 428 sq.ft Undivided right, title and interest in Schedule A property.
Schedule-C: All that piece and parcel of Apartment No. 302 & 304 on Second floor measuring super built up area up 1078 sq.ft and 1069 sq.ft respectively in Residential Apartment building called as CALVIN LYTONIA being constructed on Schedule A Property with floors, Ceiling and Walls between units jointly belonging to Such apartment owners equally, including share in common area and on covered car parking.

Amount Outstanding: Rs.76,73,225/- (Rupees Seventy Six Lakh Seventy Three Thousand Two Hundred Twenty Five Only) with interest and other Charges.

NPA Date: 01.03.2022 — **Demand Notice Date: 06.04.2022**

If you fail to repay the aforesaid sum with interest and incidental expenses within 60 days from the date of this notice, Bank shall exercise all or any of the rights detailed under sub section (4) of the section 13 of the SARFAESI Act. You are also put on notice that in terms of sub section 13 of section 13 you shall not transfer by sale, lease or otherwise the said secured assets detailed above without obtaining written consent of the Bank. This notice is without prejudice to the Banks rights to initiate such other action or legal proceedings as it deem necessary under any other applicable provisions of law.
Please also note that as per section 13(8) of the Act, you may redeem the secured asset by remitting the amount demanded above together with all costs, charges and expenses incurred tous, at any time before the date of publication of notice for public auction or inviting quotations or tenders from public or private treaty for transfer by way of lease, assignment or sale of the secured asset(s).

Date: 12.04.2022 — **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place: Bangalore — **Union Bank of India**

GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA

MINOR IRRIGATION & GROUND WATER DEVELOPMENT
EXECUTIVE ENGINEER MINOR IRRIGATION & GROUND WATER DEVELOPMENT DIVISION, KALABURAGI
www.midnglb@rediffmail.com. PHONE : 08472 -220196

IFT No. EE/MI &GWD D/KAL/PB-2/2022-23/134 — Dated : 11-04-2022

-: SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION (IFT KW-4) :-

1) Detail of work : THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, M.I. & G.W.D. DIVISION, KALABURAGI INVITES TENDER FROM THE ELEGIBAL TENDERERS FOR K.K.R.D.B. WORKS FOR THE YEAR 2021-22), 2) Amount of Estimate : Min. Rs. **123,68,164.37 Max. Rs. 141,43,747.69,** 3) Eligibility of Contractor : Class-1, 4) Details of Tender application amount and EMD amount : Tender Fee As per e-portal E.M.D. **Min. Rs. 2,00,000.00 Max. Rs. 2,12,200.00,** 5) Last Date & Time for Tender Queries/ Clarifications : **22-04-2022 Upto 11.00 Hours,** 6) Last Date & Time for receipt of tenders : **25-04-2022 Up to 17.30 Hours,** 7) Date & Time for Opening of Technical Bid : **26-04-2022 Up to 17.30 Hours,** 8) Date & Time for Opening of Financial Bid : **28-04-2022 Up to 11.00 Hours,** 9) Addl. information: Executive Engineer M.I. & G.W.D. Division, Kalaburagi, 10) Address of E-Portal : **www.e-proc.karnataka.gov.in**

Sd/- Executive Engineer, Minor Irrigation & Ground Water Development Division, Kalaburagi

DIP/Kalaburagi/39/MC&A/2022-23

GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA

WATER RESOURCE DEPARTMENT
KARNATAKA NEERAVARI NIGAM LIMITED
Executive Engineer, KNNL, KPC Division No-2, Bhalki

No. KNNL/EE/KPC2/TS-3/2022-23/09 — Dated:11-04-2022

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION
(Only Through e-procurement System). In Two cover system

Tenders in Electronic mode on "PERCENTAGE BASIS" are invited on behalf of the Managing Director, KNNL, Bangalore, by the Executive Engineer, KNNL, K P C Division No.2, Bhalki inSingle &Two cover system, from the contractors enrolledin KPWD of Karnataka State who fulfill the qualifying conditions, for the works details mentioned below.

The work Indent no's are 33159, 33158, 33157, 33156, 33130, 33160 & 33131, The amount put tender Varies From 54.36 Lakhs to 8.92 lakhs and EMD and Class of Contractor as per E-portal

Calendar of events:. i) The Contractor can have access to the e-tender document **13-04-2022 @11.00am,** ii) The Last date of Submission of completed tender documents **22-04-2022 @ 16..30 Hrs,** iii) Date of Opening of Technical Bid &Financial bid is **25.04-2022 & 27-04-2022** respectively

All details & information can be had from the office of the under signed during office hours and visit website **www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in**

Sd- Executive Engineer,
KNNL, KPC, Division no-2, Bhalki.

DIPR/Bidar/16/MC&A/2022-23

IN THE HON.BLE COURT OF THE CIVIL JUDGE & J M F C. AT NELAMANGALA
C.Misc. No. 89/2022, C.Misc. No. 90/2022, C.Misc. No. 91/2022 C.Misc. No. 92/2022

PETITIONER: 1. SRI. SRIDHAR .N.S, S/o late Siddagangaiah N.G., aged about 24 years, R/at Vishweshwarapura Village, Nelamangala Town, Nelamangala Taluk, Bangalore Rural District and seven others -V/s-
RESPONDENT: The Thasildar, (Registrar of Births and Deaths) Nelamangala Taluk, Nelamangala.

PUBLIC NOTIFICATION

Whereas the petitioner above named has presented petition to this Hon'ble court under section 13(3) of Registration of Birth and Deaths Act 1969 for order direct the respondent authority to get enter the date of death in C.Mis. No. 89/2022 i.e., petitioner's Aunt (father Younger sister) by name **Sharadamma W/o Lakshmana** was died on 17.09.2009 and in C.Mis. No.90/2022 petitioner's Great Grand mother by name **Narasamma W/o Late Puttaiah** was died on 21.08.1978 and in C.Mis. No. 91/2022 petitioner's Great Grand father by name **Puttaiah S/o Late Kempanna** was died on 10.06.1972 and in C.Mis. No.92/2022 petitioner's Grand mother by name **Puttamma W/o Gangarangaiah** was died on 05.08.1983 all of them are died at Nelamangala Village, Kasaba Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk, Bangalore Rural District The Hon'ble court has fixed on **28.05.2022** for hearing of the petition and that, if any person, desire to oppose the said petition or claim or interest shall appear before the Hon'ble court in person or by pleader duly instructed at 11 AM failing which the said application will be heard and determined as exparte.

Given under my hand and the seal of the court on 08-04-2022.

By order of the Court, Chief Ministerial officer, Court of the Civil Judge, Junior Division and JMFC Court, Nelamangala.

Advocate for Petitioner: **KRS LAW ASSOCIATES**
K. RAJASHANKARAIAH, ADVOCATE
No.1, Dadapeer Layout, Sondekoppa Road, Nelamangala, Bangalore-562123.

IN THE HON'BLE COURT OF THE 2nd ADDL. CIVIL JUDGE & JMFC AT NELAMANGALA
C. Misc. No. 88/2022

PETITIONER: SRI. RAMESHA .R S/o late Ramoji Rao @ Ram Rao @ Ramoji Rao, aged about 46 years, R/at VV Layout, 3rd Cross, Kuvempu Nagara, Hosakote Town, Hosakote Taluk, Bangalore Rural District. -V/s-
RESPONDENT: The Commissioner (Registrar of Births and Deaths) Nagarasabe, Nelamangala Town, Nelamangala

PUBLIC NOTIFICATION

Whereas the petitioner above named has presented petition to this Hon'ble court under section 13(3) of Registration of Birth and Deaths Act 1969 for order direct the respondent authority to get enter the date of death of Petitioner father by name **Ramoji Rao @ Ram Rao @ Ramoji Rao S/o late Papaiah** who died on 23.01.2005 at Binnamangala, Nagarasabe of Nelamangala,Nelamangala Town, Bangalore Rural District. The Hon'ble court has fixed on **28-05-2022** for hearing of the petition and that if any person, desire to oppose the said petition or claim or interest shall appear before the Hon'ble court in person or by pleader duly instructed at 11 AM Failing which the said application will be heard and determined us exparte.

Given under my hand and the seal of the court on 08-04-2022.

By order of the Court, Chief Ministerial Officer, Court of the Civil Judge Junior Division & JMFC, Nelamangala.

Advocate for Petitioner: **SRI. RAVIKUMAR. M**
NELAMANGALA.

IN THE HON'BLE COURT OF THE CIVIL JUDGE AND JMFC AT NELAMANGALA
C. Mis. No. 50/2022

Petitioner: Sri H. Nagaraju, S/o late G.T. Hanumantharayappa, aged about 67 years, R/at No. 370, 9th Main Road, M.S. Ramaiah Enclave, T. Dasarahalli, Bangalore-560073. -V/s-
Respondent: The Tehsildar, Nelamangala Taluk, Bangalore Rural District.

NOTICE

Whereas, the petitioner have filed the above case against you in C.Mis No. 50/2022 before Principal Civil Judge at Nelamangala to enter the date of death of petitioner's Mother by name **Byramma W/o Late G.T. Hanumantharayappa** has died on **18-08-1971** at Petitioner home Guruvanahalli Village, Nelamangala Taluk, Bangalore Rural District, and to issue death certificate, Hence, the party mentioned herein is hereby directed to appear before this Hon'ble court either personally or through a pleader on **20-05-2022** at 11.A.M. your non appearance before this Hon'ble court on the said date will be treated as intentional and you will be placed exparte and original case will be decided in your absence.

Given under my hand & seal of the Court on 11-04-2022.

By order of the Court, Chief Ministerial Officer, Court of Civil Judge (Junior Division) and JMFC, Nelamangala.

Petitioner Counsel: **THARINI .C.V,** Advocate
94/1, 1st Floor, Byraveshwara Layout,
Near Sondekoppa Circle, Nelamangala-562123.

IN THE COURT OF THE VIII ADDITIONAL CHIEF METROPOLITAN MAGISTRATE AT BANGALORE
C. Mis. No. 590/2022

PETITIONER: 1. M. Sathyavani alias Sathyavani, D/o N.K. Masilamani & Dhanalakshmi, aged 42 years, **2. M. Nagaraj** S/o N.K. Masilamani & Dhanalakshmi, aged 46 years, Both are R/at No 21, 6th Main Road, Vasanthnagar, Bangalore-52. -V/s- **RESPONDENTS: The Registrar of Birth & Deaths,** BBMP, Bangalore.

NOTICE

That the petitioner filed the above petition to enter the name of their Mother Dhanalakshmi w/o Late N.K. Masilamani died on 4.6.2017 at No. 21, 6th Main Road, Vasantanagar, Bangalore Where as this notice is issued to the public in general for filing any objections in respect of above petition. That the above case is posted for hearing on **4.5.2022.** If any objections from any person relating to this petition have to appear before this Hon'ble court at 11 am on the aforesaid date in person or through his pleader, in default the case will proceed in accordance with law.

Given under my hand and seal of the Court on 11-04-2022.

By order of the Court, Sheristedar, VIII A.C.M.M., Bengaluru.

M.K. NIYAZUDDIN, Advocate

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(Formerly known as Thirumeni Finance Private Ltd.,)

Registered Office at : No. 5BC-110, Varasiddhi. Outer Ring Road, Service Road, 3rd Block, HRBR Layout, Kalyan Nagar, Bangalore-560043. Website www.varthana.com, Email: care@varthana.com, Phone: 080-68455777, Branch Office : Varasiddhi, 3rd Floor, 5 BC-110 Service Road, 3rd Block, HRBR Layout, Bangalore – 560043.

POSSESSION NOTICE [Rule 8(1)] (For Immovable property)

Whereas, The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the **M/s. Varthana Finance Private Ltd., (Formerly Known as M/s. Thirumeni Finance Private Ltd.,) Bangalore Branch,** Under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (54 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a **Demand Notice dated : 21-06-2021,** calling upon the **Applicants/ Co-Applicants/ Mortgagors, in Loan Account No. BLR6290S and BLR2481S, 1). M/s. S.B High School,** Represented by it's Authorised Signatory, **2). M/s. S.B Educational Society,** Represented By Its Authorised Signatory, No. 1 and 2 are having office at 19, 1st Cross, T.G Extension, Near Old Bus Stand, Hoskote, Near Old Bus Stand, Bangalore – 562114., **3). Ali Jan, 4). Shameen Banu,** No. 3 and 4 are residing at No.10/18, 3rd Cross, Maruthi Sevanagar, Bangalore – 560033., **5). Mohd. Abdul Khader,** S/o. Alijan, No.1138/4, KR Layout, Hosakote, Banglore – 562114., to repay the amount mentioned in the said notice being a sum of **Rs. 1,25,57,734/- (Rupees One Crore Twenty Five Lakh Fifty Seven Thousand Seven Hundred Thirty Four Only)** as on **18-06-2021,** to pay agreed contractual rate of interest together with incidental expenses, cost and other charges etc., as details mentioned in the Demand Notice, till the date of payment, within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

However the Applicants/ Co-Applicants/ Mortgagors herein above having failed to repay the full amount with interest/other charges, notice is hereby given to the Applicants/ Co-Applicants/ Mortgagors in particular and to the public in general that the undersigned being Authorised Officer of the **M/s. Varthana Finance Private Ltd, Bangalore** has taken **SYMBOLIC POSSESSION** of the properties described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under section 13(4) of the said Act, read with Rule 8 of the Security Interest Enforcement Rules, 2002 on this **11th day of April 2022.**

The Applicants/Co-Applicants/ Mortgagors in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the properties will be subject to the charge of the **M/s. Varthana Finance Private Ltd, Bangalore,** for an amount of **Rs. 1,25,57,734/- (Rupees One Crore Twenty Five Lakh Fifty Seven Thousand Seven Hundred Thirty Four Only)** as on **18-06-2021,** with agreed contractual rate of interest, as mentioned herein above until the date of payment together with incidental expenses, cost and other charges. The Applicants/Co-Applicants/Mortgagors attention is invited to provisions of Section 13(8) of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured Assets.

Description of the Immovable Property : All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Sy. No.544, New No.544/2, Measuring 14 Guntas Situated at Hosakote Village, Hosakote Taluq, Bangalore and Bounded on, East By: Land of Darga, West By: Sy.No.544/1 belongs to Shaik Zaheer Ahamed, North By: Kaneshumari Property, South By: Road.
Memorandum of Deposit Of Title Deed Executed By M/s. S B Educational Society, Represented by Mrs. Shamin Banu & Mohd. Abdul Khader, Regd. Doc.No. HSK-1-05413/2015-16, Dated : 30.09.2015, Sub Registrar Office Hosakote.

Date : 13-04-2022, Place : Hoskote — Authorised Officer, Varthana Finance Private Limited,

STATE BANK OF INDIA
ADB BRANCH, HINDUPUR, ANANTHAPURAMU - DISTRICT.

A/C No. 1) 36898522440 (SME Credit Card Scheme - Term Loan), 2) 39594514192 (Guarateed Emergency Credit Line - GECL)

POSSESSION NOTICE

(For immovable property)
(Appendix IV Under the Act,-Rule 8(1) and (2)

WHEREAS

The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the **State Bank of India, ADB Branch, Hindupur, Ananthapuramu District** under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13(2) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules2002, issued a **Demand Notice dated 01/12/2021** calling upon the **BORROWER: M/s OM SAI AGARBATHI INDUSTRY, Prop: Smt Bhavya Raghupathy, Sy.No. 355-1A, Industrial Area, S.Sadlapalli, Hindupur, Ananthapuramu District. Borrower: Smt Bhavya Raghupathi, D/o Neelakantapuram Raghupathi (Late), Vijayabhuavanam, D.No: 5-4-106, Next to Gayathri Devi Temple, Naneppa Nagar, Hindupur, Ananthapuramu District, AND Smt Bhavya Raghupathi, D/o Neelakantapuram Raghupathi (Late), # 29 Palace Cross Road, Behind Pearl Palace Apartment, Palace Cross Road, Bangalore North, Seshadripuram, Bangalore, Karnataka.**

To repay the amount mentioned in the notice being of **1) Rs. 4,45,768/- (Rupees Four Lakhs Forty Five Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty Eight Only) as on 01/12/2021, 2) Rs. 1,10,000/- (Rupees One Lakh Ten Thousand Only) as on 01/12/2021 (Minus if any Payments).** With further interest at contractual rate from **02/12/2021** and incidental expenses, costs, charges etc. within 60 days from the date of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower/guarantors and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said rules on this **07/04/2022.**

This borrower/guarantors in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the **State Bank of India, ADB Branch, Hindupur, Ananthapuramu District** for an amount of **1) Rs. 4,45,768/-, 2) Rs. 1,10,000/-** + further interest at contractual rate and incidental expenses, costs, charges etc.

FULL DESCRIPTION OF THE MOVABLE PROPERTY

Unit is located at Sy.No. 355-1A, Industrial Area, S.Sadlapalli, Hindupur PIN 515201 in the Name of M/s OM SAI AGARBATHI INDUSTRY, Prop: Smt Bhavya Raghupathy.

Primary Security: Hypothecation of Machinery and Stocks out of Bank Finance Collateral Security:N.A.

1. Fully Automatic Incense making Machine (Upgraded Special Edition) (Made in Vietnam) Model No: HTS01_18 - 10 No's.
2. Dryer Machine for Incense with incense Racks (Made in Vietnam) Model No: HT_016 - 1No.
3. 50 Kgs Capacity Powder Mixture made out of Stainless Steel with 2 HP Single Phase Motor: 1 No.
4. 25 Kgs Capacity sieving Machine made out of Stainless Steel with ½ HP single Phase motor - 1 No.

Date : 07-04-2022
Place : Hindupur

Sd/-Authorised Officer, State Bank of India, ADB Branch, Hindupur

North Eastern Railway

E-Tender Notice
TENDER NOTICE No. N-235-62 Tele Tender-03-2022

Dy. Chief Signal & Telecom Engineer/ Tele/HQ, N. E. Railway, Gorakhpur for and on behlaf of President of India invites E-Tender for the following works from the contractors having sufficient experience as per eligibility criteria mentioned in tender document. **1. Tender no & date:** N-235-62 Tele Tender-03-2022, **2. Name of work:** Extension of Telecom & Railnet facilities along with Replacement of over aged ISDN Intercom System by IP Communication System at 2 BN RPSF, Rajahi Camp, Gorakhpur. **3. Tender Value: ₹ 22,76,322.73** (Rupees Twenty Two Lakh, Seventy Six thousand, Three hundred, Twenty Two and Seventy three paisa), **4. Earnest Money: ₹ 45,500/-, 5. Validity of Earnest money after opening of tender: 45 days, 6. Validity of offer: 45 days, 7. Place, Date & Time of closing and opening of Tender:** Office of the DSTE/TEle, N.E. Rly, Gorakhpur. **10.05.2022** at **15.00 Hrs. 8. Completion Period : 4 months, 9.** Website where details of the tender notice & documents are available: **www.ireps.gov.in, 10.** For any changes of tender, Please check on internet website for Corrigendum of the original tender notice. **11.** (1) Earnest money is to be paid through only payment modes available on **http://www.ireps.gov.in** portal like Net banking, Debit card, Credit card etc. Manual payments like Demand Draft, Banker Cheque, Deposit Receipts, FDR etc. are not allowed. (2) The manual offers are not allowed against the tender and any such manual offers received shall be ignored. **12.** The tenders/bidders must have Class III digital signatures and must have to register on IREPS portal. Only registered tenders/bidders can participate on e-tendering. **13.** All relevant papers must be uploaded at the time of participating in tendering process. **14.** Detailed tender notice, Eligibility criteria, terms & conditions are available at website **http://www.ireps.gov.in.**

Dy. Chief Signal & Telecom Engineer/ Tele/Hq/Gorakhpur
CPRO/Sig-05

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IN THE COURT OF THE HON'BLE XXV ADDL. CHIEF METROPOLITAN MAGISTRATE AT BANGALORE
Crl. Mis. No. 1595 / 2022

Between : 1. KUMAR .T.G, S/o. Guruswamy, Aged about 41 years, **2. KRISHNAPPA,** S/o. Guruswamy, Aged about 51 years, **3. NAGARAJA,** S/o. Guruswamy, Aged about 49 years, **4. RAMU,** S/o. Guruswamy, Aged about 39 years.
...PETITIONERS
And: The Commissioner of BBMP, Registrar of Births & Deaths, Bangalore. ...RESPONDENT

PAPER PUBLICATION

Whereas, the petitioners have filed the above petition U/s. 13(3) of the Registrar of Birth and Death acts seeking direction to the Commissioner of BBMP at Bangalore to register the date of death of the deceased by name **DASAPPA S/o. LATE. VEERABHOVI, who was died on 10.06.1994 at No.40, 3rd E Cross, Sanjeevininagar, 3rd Stage, Hegganahalli Cross, Bangalore North, Bangalore-560 091.**

If any person having objection in the matter may appear before the Hon'ble XXV ACMM Court at Bangalore, either personally or through an advocate duly instructed at **11.00 a.m. on 22.04.2022** to Which date the case is posted for hearing.

Given under my hand and the seal of the court on this 08.04.2022.

By Order of the Court, Shirastedar, XXV ACMM Court, Bangalore.
Advocate for Petitioner : **G. VENKATESH,** Advocate

IN THE COURT OF THE HON'BLE XXV ADDL. CHIEF METROPOLITAN MAGISTRATE AT BANGALORE
Crl. Mis. No. 1594 / 2022

Between : 1. KUMAR .T.G, S/o. Guruswamy, Aged about 41 years, **2. KRISHNAPPA,** S/o. Guruswamy, Aged about 51 years, **3. NAGARAJA,** S/o. Guruswamy, Aged about 49 years, **4. RAMU,** S/o. Guruswamy, Aged about 39 years.
...PETITIONERS
And: The Commissioner of BBMP, Registrar of Births & Deaths, Bangalore. ...RESPONDENT

PAPER PUBLICATION

Whereas, the petitioners have filed the above petition U/s. 13(3) of the Registrar of Birth and Death acts seeking direction to the Commissioner of BBMP at Bangalore to register the date of death of the deceased by name **YERAMMA W/o. Late DASAPPA, Who was died on 29.05.2006 at No.40, 3rd E Cross, Sanjeevininagar, 3rd Stage, Hegganahalli Cross, Bangalore North, Bangalore - 560 091.**

If any person having objection in the matter may appear before the Hon'ble XXV ACMM Court at Bangalore, either personally or through an advocate duly instructed at **11.00 a.m. on 22.04.2022** to Which date the case is posted for hearing.

Given under my hand and the seal of the court on this 08.04.2022.

By Order of the Court, Shirastedar, XXV ACMM Court, Bangalore.
Advocate for Petitioner : **G. VENKATESH,** Advocate

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the General Public that my Client intends to purchase the below mentioned Schedule Property and accordingly my Client has entered into Agreement of Sale from its Owner Sri. R.K. Balachandra S/o Sri. V.K. Ramakant, who represent to my client that he is the absolute Owner of the Schedule Property having acquired the same by way of registered sale deed dated 29.11.2021, registered as Document No.6240/2021-22, Book No.I, stored in CD No.KEND1423, Registered in the office of Sub Registrar, Kengeri, Bangalore from Karnataka Housing Board.

Anyone having any manner of right, title interest or claim over the same or objecting to the sale, may lodge their objections/claims together with the documents evidencing the same, with the undersigned within **10 days** of the publication of this notice; failing which it will be deemed that the property is free from claims/encumbrances whatsoever and my clients will proceed with the purchase of the same.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the Residential immovable property being Vacant Site bearing No.207, MIG, Developed by Karnataka Housing Board, under 100 Housing Project Scheme, Situated at Bandemutt, comprising of Lands acquired by the Karnataka Housing Boardin various Survey Numbers of Kengeri Village, of Bangalore Urban District, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, presently comes under the limits of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, **PID No.37-9-7,** measuring East to West : 15.00 Mtrs and North to South : 9.00 Mtrs, in all measuring 135.00 Sq Mtrs and bounded as follows : **East by :** Site No.138, HIG, **West by :** Road, **North by :** Site No.206, MIG, **South by :** Site No.208, MIG

Sd/- SRI. LAKSHMANA .M
M/s. SARALA LAW ASSOCIATES Advocates
Office at "Justice Point", No.168, 3rd Floor, Pooja Complex, 1st Cross, Kilari Road, Bangalore- 53
Date: 13.04.2022, Bangalore

IN THE COURT OF THE CITY CIVIL AND SESSIONS JUDGE AT BENGALURU
P & S.C. No. 256/2022 (CCH-16)

Between: Rajath R. Rao S/o Late Ramakrishna Rao & Late Shobha Rao, aged about 28 years, R/at No. 152, 20th Cross, 21st Main Road, Behind Maruthi Mandira, Vijayanagar, Bengaluru-560 040. ... **Petitioners**
AND: Nil ... Respondent

PUBLIC NOTICE

Whereas the petitioner above named have filed case under section 276 of Indian Succession Act, 1925 for grant of succession certificate in favour of petitioner in respect of schedule property mentioned hereunder. The father and mother of the Petitioner by name Late Ramakrishna Rao & Late Shobha Rao who died on 05.03.2018 and 15.05.2020 respectively.

Interested parties are hereby directed to appear before this Court in person or by pleader duly instructed on **14-06-2022** at 11.00 A.M. to show cause against the petitioners, failing which case will be heard and decided an ex-parte.

SCHEDULE

Late Smt.Shobha Rao EPF No. BYPOM0046940000000119 and UAN NO. 100353072314, From the Asst. Provident Fund Commissioner, EP-F Organisation, Singasandra, Bengaluru.

As the deceases Smt. Shobha Rao was the Asst. Manager of BUILDERS' NGV CLUB, National Games village, Koramangala, Bengaluru-560 047.

Given under my hand and seal of this Court on 11-04-2022.

By order of the Court, Assistant Registrar, City Civil Court, Bangalore.

Address for service/Petitioner:
Sri. Sunil Kumar, Advocate
No. 4043, 3rd Main, Subramanya Nagar, Bengaluru-560 021.

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the general public that my client is intended to purchase the property bearing Municipal No.27, Old No.367, BBMP PID No.10-31-27 measuring East to West: 30 feet and North to South: 45.6 feet in all measuring 1,365 square feet together with 30 square Ground, First and Second Floor RCC roofed building situated at 10th Cross, Mahalakshmi Layout, BBMP Ward No.10 from its **owners Sri.G.Babu @ Babu Gali @ Babu Naidu,** S/o G.Krishnama Naidu and Sri.G.Mohan @ Gali Mohan, S/o G.Krishnama Naidu. The owners have handed over the xerox copies of the documents in respect of the Property to my client. Any person/s having any claim, right, title, interest in the schedule property may file objection to the undersigned with documentary proof, **within 15 Days** from the date of publication of this Notice and if no valid objections are received within stipulated time, my client will proceed with assumptions that, there are no objections or claims of whatsoever nature from any person/s for purchasing the schedule property from my client. Any objection received after 15 days will not be entertained and my client will proceed to purchase the land in accordance with law.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the property bearing No.367 LIG, New Municipal No.27, PID No.10-31-27 measuring East to West : 30 feet and North to South : 45.6 feet in all measuring 1,365 square feet together with 30 square Ground, First and Second Floor RCC roofed building situated at 10th Cross, Mahalaksmi Layout, BBMP Ward No.10, New Ward No.68, Bangalore and bounded on: **East by :** Property No.366, **West by :** Property No.368, **North by :** Property No.383, **South by :** 30 feet road.

J. S. DINESH, Advocate
No.74, "Mathrushree", 76th Cross,
12th "E" Main Road, 6th Block,
Rajajinagara, Bengaluru-560 010.
Ph: 9448020528, 8884570528

BEFORE THE HON'BLE CITY CIVIL COURT AT BENGALURU (CCH-16)
O.S. No. 1887/2022

Plaintiff: M/s City Max Hotels (India) Pvt. Ltd., Having its office at 3rd Floor #77 Town Centre, Building No.3 West Wing, Off HAL Old Airport Road Yemlur Post Office Bengaluru-560037. Represented by its Authorized Representative, Mr. Shankar R. Rao -V/s-
Defendants: 1. Sharada Sharma, W/o Late Prem Dutt Sharma, aged about 77 years, **2. Arvind Sharma** S/o Late Prem Dutt Sharma Major, Both are R/o No. 126/3 Gangadhara Chetty Road Near Ulsoor Lake Sivan Chetty Garden Bangalore - 560042. **3. Aruna Joshi** D/o Late Prem Dutt Sharma, aged about 55 years, R/o No. 141, Udani Layout, Cambridge Road, Ulsoor, Bangalore - 560008. **4. Sheetal Ramachandani** D/o Late Prem Dutt Sharma, aged about 47 years, R/o No. A-17, Binny Crecent, Benson Cross Road, Bydarahalli, Jayamahal, Bangalore - 560046.

PUBLIC NOTICE

WHEREAS the above named Plaintiff has instituted the captioned suit before the Hon'ble City Civil Court at Bengaluru (CCCH-16) challenging the release deed dated 25.08.2021, executed by Defendant Nos. 1, 3 & 4 in favour of Defendant No. 2, with respect to the property morefully described in the schedule hereunder since the same is executed to defeat the rights of the creditors of Defendant No.1. The Plaintiff has also filed an application under Order I Rule 8 (1) of the Code of Civil procedure, 1908, in the said suit seeking permission to represent such other creditors of the Defendant No.1 on the premise that the impugned release deed dated 25.08.2021 affects all such creditors. The said application has been allowed vide order dated 19.03.2022 and the Plaintiff has been permitted to prosecute the suit in representative capacity on behalf of other creditors of the Defendant No.1. Any creditor of Defendant No. 1, being interested in the suit may apply to the Hon'ble Court to be made a patty, to enable the Court to effectively and completely adjudicate upon and settle the questions involved therein.

Take notice that all persons for whose benefit this suit has been instituted may apply to be added to the suit as parties on or before the next date of hearing on **03-06-2022.**

SCHEDULE A

All that piece and parcel of property bearing No. 4, PID No. 81-7-4, situated at Gangadhara Chetty Road, Ward No. 81, Ulsoor, Bangalore, admeasuring 616.07 Sq. Mtrs., and bounded as follows: **East by:** Premises bearing old No. 126/3, Gangadhara Chetty Road and measuring on that side 111 feet; **West by:** Premises No. 6/1, Gangadhara Chetty Road and measuring on that side 116 feet 4 inches, **North by:** Road and measuring on that side 36 feet 6 inches; and **South by:** House No.30, Aga Abbas Ali Road and measuring on that side 37 feet 3 inches.

SCHEDULE B

All that piece and parcel of commercial building comprising of stilt, ground floor, first floor, second floor and the terrace, admeasuring 6500 Sq. Ft. of carpet area, constructed on Schedule A property.

Given under the hand and seal of the Court on 01-04-2022.

By order of the Court, Assistant Registrar, City Civil Court, Bangalore.

Advocate for Plaintiff: **POOVAYYA & CO.,**
Advocates & Solicitors
The Estate, Level Four, No. 121,
Dickenson Road, Bangalore - 560 042.
Tel : +91-80-46563000

Bangalore Metro Rail Corporation Limited

Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav

(A Joint Venture of GoI & GoK)
Metro Rail Depot, Old Madras Road, Near NGEF Bus Stop, Baiyappanahalli , Bengaluru - 560 038. Ph: 080-25191039
e-mail: contactus@bmrc.co.in Website: www.bmrc.co.in

Bid No.: BMRCL/O&M/CSW/L2/01/2022-23 Date: 13.04.2022

TENDER NOTIFICATION

BMRCL invites tenders from eligible Tenderers for **"Painting, Distempering, Colour Washing and Other Allied Works to National College (NLC), Lal Bagh(LBGH), South End Circle(SECE) and Jayanagar(JYN) Metro Station Buildings of Reach-4 of Line-2".** Estimated Cost: **Rs. 97.89 Lakhs.** Tender Security Amount: **Rs.1,95,776/-.** Sale period of tender documents through online: **13.04.2022 to 08.05.2022 (Till Midnight).** Pre-bid meeting: **05.05.2022. at 11.30 Hrs.** Date & time for submission of tender: **13.05.2022 (from 11.00 hrs to 15.00 hrs).** Date & time for opening of tender: **13.05.2022 (at 15.30 hrs).** Cost of tender document: **Rs. 5,900/-.** Completion period : **09 months.** Tender can be downloaded from BMRCL website. For more information visit **http://tender.bmrc.co.in:90**

Sd/- Executive Director (O & M)

PUBLIC NOTICE

The General Public is hereby notified that our client is the sole and absolute owner of the schedule property and she intends to sell the same.

The original Agreement to Sell entered into between Mr. Syed Mustaffa Kamal Pasha and M/s Sobha Developers Limited with Mrs.Sharada Krishnamurthy and Construction Agreement entered into between M/s Sobha Developers Limited and Mrs.Sharada Krishnamurthy related to schedule property are lost/misplaced by our client. In this connection, a police complaint has been lodged on 11/04/2022 online vide Lost report bearing no. 0200265/2022.

Any person (s), having any manner of right, title, interest, claim etc., over the Schedule Property may lodge his /her /their / its objections or claims in writing with all supporting documentary evidence with regard to such claims and/or Any person (s),finds the document may handover the same to the undersigned with the undersigned within 07 days hereof, failing which, our client will proceed to complete the sale transaction. Any objections/ claims received thereafter will not be entertained /binding on our client and he/she/they shall be doing so at their own costs and risks.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of residential Apartment bearing No. E2-2122 in the 12th floor in the Apartment Building known as "SOBHA TULIP" constructed on land bearing Sy. No. 7/2 situated at Puttenahalli Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore, having 0.77% of undivided share, right, title and interest, with 1982.55 sq. ft. of Super Built-up area with one car parking space bearing No. 2122 in the basement and the total property is bounded on, On the

East by : Road and Neeraganti Inamti Road
West by : Jaraganahalli Siddappa's land in Sy. No. 7/1
North by: Raja Kaluve & Krishnamaraju's land
South by: Property of Ramaiah Reddy & Sons

H.K.GIRISH, ADVOCATE
M & G Associates
82, 1st Floor, 41st Cross, 03rd Main, 8th Block, Jayanagara, Bangalore – 560 070.
Ph- 080-26632343 / +91 88867044666

KARNATAKA POWER TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LIMITED

KPTCL

(CIN: U40109KA1999SGC025521)

No.:CEE/TKR/TZ/SEE(O)/AEE-3/268-70 **Date: 11.04.2022**

BRIEF TENDER NOTIFICATION (e-Procurement mode only)

Karnataka Power Transmission Corporation Limited invites Bids against **Bid Enquiry No: KPTCL/CEE/TKR/TZ/CEP-228/Dtd.08.04.2022** Tender for Design, Manufacture, Testing and Supply of 110KV and 66KV CTs of various Ratios required for Replacement of age old and Faulty CTs at various Sub-Stations pertaining to Tumakuru and Davanagere Circle coming under Transmission Zone, KPTCL, Tumakuru. The bids will be received through E-procurement mode only.

The details regarding participating in the tender can be obtained by website **https://kptcl.karnataka.gov.in** on hyperlink **"e-Procurement-KPTCL"** or directly logging on to website **"https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in"** on or after **13.04.2022 .** Further details can be obtained from the office of the undersigned.

Sd/- Chief Engineer (Elecl.)
Transmission Zone, KPTCL, Siddaganga Complex, Tumakuru-02

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

General

STIC

SOPHISTICATED TEST AND INSTRUMENTATION CENTRE
Cochin University P.O., Kochi - 682022, Kerala

APPOINTMENT OF DIRECTOR

Applications are invited for the post of Director, STIC

The details regarding Qualification, Experience and other Terms of Appointment is available at **https://www.sticindia.com**

Last date of receipt of application at STIC is 05-05-2022

Thiruvananthapuram
04-04-2022

Chairman, Governing Council, STIC
Executive Vice President, KSCSTE

Union Bank of India

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ASSET RECOVERY BRANCH

"Jeevan Sampige : (LIC Building), 1/1, Ground Floor, 2nd Main, Sampige Road, Near Square Mall, Malleshwaram, Bengaluru-560003.
Mail ID : ubin0555991@unionbankofindia.bank, arbbangalore@unionbankofindia.com, contact No.: 9441215957

APPENDIX-IV-A

[See Proviso to Rule 8(6) of Security Enforcement Rules, 2002]
Notice of 15 days for sale of immovable secured assets under Rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

E-auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under The Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assests and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, read with the provision of Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002, Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) mentioned below that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the **Constructive Possession** of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **Union Bank of India, Assest Recovery Branch, Bengaluru** concerned branches. Secured Creditor will be sold on **" As is where is", " As is what is " and " whatever there is"** basis, by Public E-Auction on **29.04.2022, 11:00 AM to 4:00 PM** for recovery of dues as mentioned below together with future interest and legal other expenses due to the bank/Secured Creditor from respective borrowers. The Reserve Price for Property, the Earnest Money Deposit (EMD and Description of Property etc., are given below.

Sl. No.	Name and Address of the Borrower/Mortgagor/ Guarantor	Description of the Property	Amount Due	Reserve Price	EMD Amount
1	**M/s. S.K International Motors Pvt Ltd** No.49/1, Thulsiram Plaza, 11th Cross, 8th Main, Wilson Garden, Bangalore-560027. Represented by its Directors: **1. Sri Lepaksha S,** S/o Sri Siddaiah, No. 958/35, 7th Cross, BSK 1st Stage, 2nd Block, Opp. Kanaka College of Arts, Bangalore-560 050. **2. Sri Mahesh S,** S/o Sri Shivanna, No. 53, Hosahalli Kalake, Kalake, Mysore -571118.	All that Part and parcel of property consisting of immovable property bearing No. 958/35, PID No. 53-174-35, 7th Cross, Banashankari, Ist Stage, II Block, Bangalore-560050, measuring Eastern side 62.6 ft, Western Side 64.6 Ft, Southern Side 40ft and Northern Side 39.00 ft total measuring site area 2508.25 Sq. ft and building constructed thereon comprising of 2 bedroom in ground floor with common bathroom and a toilet, a hall, verenda, kitchen, store room and pooja room and a bed room with attached bathroom and toilet on the first floor in all measuring 1652 sq.ft built up area about 1149 sq ft plinth. Boundaries: East: Site no. 959, West: Site No. 957, North : Site No. 947, South : VII Cross Road.	**Rs. 8,69,19,363/- (Rupees Eight Crores Sixty Nine Lakhs Nineteen Thousand Three Hundred Sixty Three Only) as on 28/02/2022**	**Rs. 3,42,33,000/- (Rupees Three Crores Forty Two Lakhs Thirty Three Thousand Only)**	**Rs. 34,23,300/- (Rupees Thirty Four Lakhs Twenty Three Thousand Three hundred only)**
2	**M/s Balaji Global Exports** Sy. No. 33, Mudugurki, Bellary Road, Venkatagiri Kota Post, Devanahalli, Bangalore-562110. **Partners: 1) Mr. P Balaji,** S/o Papanna, No.10, 3rd Main Road, D N R Layout, Bengaluru-560020. **2). Mrs. Rasamani Yoganand,** W/o Mr. Yoganand, No.10, 3rd Main Road, D N R Layout, Bengaluru-560020. **Guarantor : 3) Mr. Parameswar N Iyer,** S/o P. Narayan, #4, Bindu Anmol Apartment, Opp Shobha Hospital, Amarjyothinagar, Vijayanagar, Bangalore - 560040.	Residential Land and Building situated at Site No. 322, 16th A Cross (KHB), near Chikkabommasandra Arch, HIG Sector A, Yelahanka New Town, Phase I, Yelahanka, Bengaluru-560064 measuring 4625 Sq.Ft, bounded on : East by : Road, West by : Private Land and Drain, North by : KHB Land South by : Site No. 321.	**Rs. 4,15,31,440.17 (Rupees Four Crores Fifteen Lakhs Thirty One Thousand Four Hundred and Forty Only) as on 28/02/2022**	**Rs. 2,95,78,000 (Rupees Two Crores Ninety Five Lakhs Seventy Eight Thousand Only)**	**Rs. 29,57,800/- (Rupees Twenty Nine Lakhs Fifty Seven Thousand Eight Hundred Only)**
3	**1.M/s Janatha Traders,** No.506, 9th Cross , BDA Land, APMC Yard, Yeshwanthapur, Bangalore - 560022. **Represented by its Prop. Smt N N Savithra Bai. 2. Mrs. Savithrabai N N,** W/o N Nagaraj Shetty, Old Main Bazar, Near Sri Virabhadreshwar Temple, Raichur, Sindhanur, Karnataka-584128, **3. Mr. Nagaraj Setty Nadang,** No. 14, 14th Main Road, 8th Cross, Ganesh Block, Near Tent Road, Nandini Layout, Bangalore-560096.	All that piece and Parcel of Site bearing No. 506, (BDA Land), situated at A.P.M.C. Yard, Yeshwanthapur Bangalore-560022, measuring 30-0 X 60-0 Feet and bounded by the following boundaries: East by : Site No. 505, West by: Site No. 507, South by : Site No . Factory Compound Wall, North by : 60 Ft. Road.	**Rs. 1,83,62,410.79 (Rupees One Crore Eighty Three Lakhs Sixty Two Thousand Four Hundred Ten and Seventy Nine Paisa Only) as on 28/02/2022**	**1,05,57,000/- (Rupees One Crore Five Lakhs Fifty Seven Thousand only)**	**Rs. 10,55,700/- (Rupees Ten Lakhs Fifty Five Thousand Seven Hundred Only)**
4	**1. M/s K Mark, Prop. Mr. K Keshavamurthy** R/a No. 2060, 16th D Main, HAL II Stage, Indiranagar, Bengaluru-560038. **2. Mr. Keshavamurthy,** R/a No. 2060, 16th D Main, HAL II Stage, Indiranagar, Bengaluru-560038. **3. Mrs. Kavitha Kestur,** R/a No. 2060, 16th D Main, HAL II Stage, Indiranagar, Bengaluru-560038	All that part and parcel of apartment bearing Flat No. G-1, Ground Floor, ORCHARD GREEN Apartments, Property No. 139/34-10, 2nd Main, 1st Cross, Intermediate Ring Road, Domlur, Bangalore – 560 071. Total Plinth Area – 1430 Sq. Ft, with one Car Parking space in the Basement and 680 Square Feet of Garden area along with 771 Sq. Ft of Undivided share right.	**Rs. 10,80,64,694.60 (Rupees Ten Crores Eighty Lakhs Sixty Four Thousand Six Hundred Ninety Four and Sixty Paisa only) as of 28/02/2022**	**Rs. 1,08,15,000/- (Rupees One Crore Eight Lakhs Fifteen Thousand Only)**	**Rs. 10,81,500/- (Rupees Ten Lakhs Eighty One Thousand Five Hundred only)**
5	**1. M/s Palaka Granite Quarry (Borrower) Prop: Praveen K,** Door No.:9, Katte Belaguli, Halekote Hobli, Holenarasipura, Hassan-573211 **Also at:** Mr. Praveen K, "PALAKA", No.:20, 2nd Cross, Behind Tennis Court, Thindlu, Bangalore **2.Smt. H S Indira,** "PALAKA", No.:20, 2nd Cross, Behind Tennis Court, Thindlu, Bangalore.	All that piece and Parcel of the Property bearing No. 20, BBMP Khata No. 745/647/575/20 Carved Out in Sy. No. 182/1 and 182/2 presently comes under BBMP Limits measuring East to West 30 Ft and North to South 54 Ft totally measuring 1620 Sq Ft situated at Ward No. 9, Kodigehalli, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore Together with Building built thereon consisting of Ground, First, Second, Terrace Floors with super built up areas about 3058 Sq. Ft owned by Mr. Praveen K and Bounded on: East: Site No. 19, West: Site No. 21, North: Private Property, South: Road.	**Rs. 1,67,06,778.07 (Rupees One Crore Sixty Seven Lakhs Six Thousand Seven Hundred Seventy Eight and Seven Paisa only) as of 31/03/2022.**	**Rs. 1,47,60,000/- (Rupees One Crore Forty Seven Lakhs Sixty Thousand Only)**	**Rs. 14,76,000/- (Rupees Fourteen Lakhs Seventy Six Thousand only)**
6	**M/s S .S Steels,** Regd Office at No. 183, Rabia Mansion, Ground Floor, Corporation Division No. 48, Lalbagh 4th Cross, K S Garden Bangalore-560027 (Borrower) Unit Address at Plot No. 229, 230, 231 & 232 in Survey No. 97, 98 & 103, Situated at APIIC Industrial Park Industrial Development Area, Thumakunta (V), Hundupur (M), Ananthpur District, Andhra Pradesh (Borrower). **Represented by its partners: 1. Mr. Sumeer Ather Azad,** S/o Ameer Azad, Residing at # 16, 11th Main , 5th Block, Jayanagar, Bangalore-560041. **2.Mr. Mohammad Shujayath** S/o Mohammed Liyaqet, Residing at No. 740, 2nd C Main, 8th Block, Koramangala, Bangalore-560095. **3. Mr. Mohammed Imtiaz Hussain** S/o Mohammed Nasiruddin, Residing at No. 204, PID No. 71-9-204, 3rd Cross, Viveknagar Layout, Austin Town, Bangalore-560047 **(Guarantor/ Mortgagor)**	All that piece and Parcel of the Residential Property bearing Muncipal New No. 204 & having PID No. 71-9-204, 3rd Cross , Viveknagar Layout, Bangalore & presently coming under BBMP Ward No. 71, Austin Town, Bangalore together with building standing thereon Comprising of Ground Floor, First Floor, Second Floor and Terrace Floor constructed on the land measuring East to West 60 Ft, North to South 40 Ft in all measuring 2400 Sq Ft owned by Mr. Mohammed Imtiaz Hussain and bounded on : East by: Road, West by: Premises bearing no. 193, North by: Premises bearing no. 205, South by: Premises bearing no. 203.	**Rs. 7,11,08,159.85 (Rupees Seven Crores Eleven Lakhs Eight Thousand One Hundred Fifty Nine and Eighty Five Paisa only) as of 31/03/2022**	**Rs. 3,91,86,000/- (Rupees Three Crores Ninety One Lakhs Eighty Six Thousand Only)**	**Rs. 39,18,600/- (Rupees Thirty Nine Lakhs Eighteen Thousand Six Hundred only)**

The above said properties will be sold by "Online". Online E-Auction will be held through web portal/website www.mstcecommerce.com on the date and time mentioned above with unlimited exension of 10 mimutes. The intending bidders / purchasers required to register through **https://www.mstcecommerce.com/auctionhome/ibapi/index.jsp.** by using their moble number and valid email:id. They are further required to upload KYC documents and Bank Details. The intended bidder may contact the **Branch Manager of Union Bank of India. Asset Recovery Branch, Contact No. 9441215957,** for inspection of property and also visit the above mentioned website for ascertaining the details of auction.

STATUTORY 15 DAYS SALE NOTICE UNDER Rule 8(6) Rule 9(1) OF STATUTORY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT) RULES, 2002

This mya also be treated as notice u/s 8(6) Rule 9(1) of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 to the Borrowers and Guarantors of the said loan about the holding of E-Auction Sale on the above mentioned date.

Place: Bengaluru
Date: 11.04.2022

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Union Bank of India.

GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA
MINORITY WELFARE DEPARTMENT
DIRECTORATE OF MINORITIES

Maulana Abul Kalam Aazad Bhavan,
No.16C, Millers Tank Bed Road, Vasanth Nagar,
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No.: DOM/Education Wing/CR-03/2022-23 Date:12.04.2022

Notification for Admissions of Minority Residential Schools for 6th std (MDRS/GMRS/MMRS)

Online applications for admissions in Minority Residential Schools 6th std (MDRS/GMRS/MMRS)

For the Benefit of the Minority Community students, Free Admissions are started for 6th std for academic year 2022-23 under Minority Residential Schools i.e, for 100 Morarji Desai Residential Schools/ 5 Government Muslim Residential Schools/8 Minority Model Residential Schools (Navodaya) present across Karnataka which are managed by Directorate of Minorities, Minority Welfare Department Bangalore, Interested students are advised to apply online through seva sindhu portal.

1	Application starting date	:	Dt:12.04.2022
2	Application closing date	:	Dt:22.04.2022
3	Contact us for further information	:	Helpline: 8277799990 080-22535916

Interested students & parents can also visit nearby District Minority Office or MDRS/MMRS/GMRS Schools or Taluk Minority Information Centres for using free service of applying online application through seva sindhu portal link **https://sevasindhuservices.karnataka.gov.in** for further brief notification & details please visit our website **https://dom.karnataka.gov.in**

Sd/- Director, Directorate of Minorities, Bengaluru.

Educational

CMS COLLEGE KOTTAYAM (AUTONOMOUS)
Kerala - 686001. Ph. 94463 91943

No.CMS/Estt/TS/2/2021-22 13.04.2022

WANTED ASSISTANT PROFESSORS

Applications are invited from eligible candidates to the following Assistant Professor posts in CMS College Kottayam against permanent vacancies. 3 vacancies are reserved for persons with benchmark disabilities mentioned in clause 34 of the Right of persons with Disability Act 2016 and G.O. (MS) No. 96/2021/HEdn. dated 15.02.2021. Scale of pay, qualification, age etc, will be as per the norms of UGC/ University/ Government of Kerala. Application form can be downloaded from the College website (www.cmscollege.ac.in) with an online payment of Rs.2,000/-. Duly filled application along with copies of all the required documents should reach the Principal within 30 days from publication of this notification.

SUBJECT	NO. OF POSTS	CATEGORY		
		OPEN QUOTA	COMMUNITY QUOTA	PERSONS WITH DIS ABILITY QUOTA
Malayalam	3	2		1
Mathematics	1	1		
Chemistry	3	2		1
Botany	1		1	
Zoology	2		2	
Home Science	1			1
Statistics	1		1	

The candidates who have already applied vide notification, No. CMS/Estt/TS/1/2021-22, dtd. 23.02.2022 need not apply again.

Kottayam **Sd/- Manager**

EDITORIAL

Culture is at once the expression and the reward of an effort, and any system of civilisation which tends to relax effort will suffer a corresponding depreciation of culture

Georges Duhamel

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— Ramnath Goenka

7.5% QUOTA HOLDS MERIT, IMPROVE EDU QUALITY IN MEANTIME

The Madras High Court order upholding the constitutional validity of the 7.5% quota to government school students in undergraduate medical colleges is not only a win for the state but also establishes the importance of good data in advancing policy. While the Supreme Court had faulted Tamil Nadu for providing a sub-quota to Vanniyars without proper contemporaneous data, the HC order found merit in the state's defense of the 7.5% quota, grounded in the findings of the Justice Kalaiyarasan commission, arguing that government school students form a distinct socially and educationally backward class. This was established through a "wholesome" approach that included caste, wealth, parental income and occupation, location, access to coaching, etc. The court, in fact, noted that it was a positive obligation of the state to adopt a standard of proportional equality. This had been achieved in the case through the provision of a horizontal reservation to government school students.

However, the victory for the state comes with a direction, as recommended by the commission, to review the quota in five years and to improve the education provided at government schools in the intervening period "so that it may not be extended beyond five years". Indeed, the state must work on improving the quality of education in its schools by investing in revising the syllabus, filling teaching vacancies and facilitating better infrastructure but, as pointed out by the commission, the disadvantages facing the students are intersecting. Only holistic development over a possibly longer period of time will be able to erode these disadvantages in a meaningful way.

Finally, in accepting the state's argument about government school students being a special class, the court has also highlighted the impact the NEET has had. If students who face multiple disadvantages require a quota to access an education provided only through the gateway of the NEET, then clearly the argument of the test's critics holds water. The merit of a test touted as ensuring 'merit'—a nebulous concept—perhaps needs to be revisited.

NO ROOM FOR ANY DIVISIVE ELEMENTS

The disturbing communal incidents occurring in Karnataka threaten to rip the social fabric of not just the state, but of the entire country. Issues are being propelled to the fore back-to-back, each on communal lines targeting Muslims, while building up inter-religious tensions at a faster-rate with every new issue taken up by fringe groups.

Starting with the hijab row in February, opposition to consumption of halal meat was next, followed by Muslim vendors being targeted for selling their wares at temple premises. These disturbing developments threaten to snowball into a major communal challenge for civil society. It threatens to reach such a flashpoint that it may be difficult to be reversed, permanently damaging the social fabric of the country. The manner in which these issues are being taken up by ultra right-wing Hindu groups indicates a planned and systematic move to create a deep Hindu-Muslim divide on the pretext of putting the former's identity on the pedestal. But the main players in this fail to wake up to what is staring at them in their face, and choose to ignore it in the blind pursuit of marginalising other communities, mainly the Muslims. The Hindu-Muslim divide is precisely what anti-India elements within the country and its neighbourhood hope to see happen. And while at it, the ultra right-wingers remain oblivious to the fact that they are actually playing into the hands of these elements who are achieving their objective with no efforts on their part. Now, with Karnataka Assembly polls next year and the general elections two years away, these groups in the background of a relatively silent BJP are building a threatening narrative.

However, the citizens need to remember that we live in a world that has shrunk to a global village, thanks to communication and technological advances. The need of the hour is not division but unification aimed at progress on the economic, technological, education and health fronts. Countries prefer trade, commerce and research collaboration with thriving economies. There is no place for divisive elements if these aims are to be achieved. It's time to make a choice: to be progressive, or retrogressive?

India has the power, economic and otherwise, to set matters right, at least in the IOR neighbourhood, but is stymied by political realities and diplomatic niceties

NEW DELHI CAN HELP, BUT CAN'T RESTORE COLOMBO'S STABILITY

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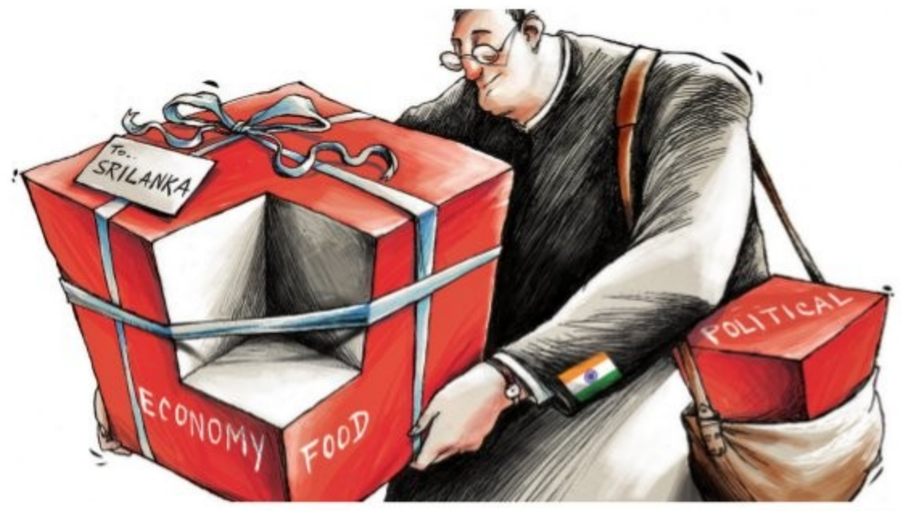

SOUMYADIP SINHA

From the moment long queues for food and fuel appeared on the streets, especially in urban Sri Lanka, the pitiable cry of the population for one meal, one cylinder of LPG, one strip of medicine or one litre of petrol or diesel, all have taken an all out political colour. Egged on by the scenes from the Sri Lankan streets, as they get to see, the international media, including those in neighbouring India, have focussed excessively on the 'Go Home Gota' kind of demands for the ruling Rajapaksas to exit early and with whatever grace that they could still retain. Or, that is the message they all have been propagating, knowingly or otherwise, pushing the economic crisis almost into oblivion.

The protests, whether for essential goods or the exit of the Rajapaksas, have drowned the real sorrow that the Emerald Isle has become. Today, the daily schedule of protests and specific venues, both inside capital Colombo and outside, are publicised through social media and individual groups, including school students, doctors, lawyers and even the Catholic church. They are taking turns, indicating a certain organisation that was not visible in the early days.

The weekend saw what became 'Occupy Galle Face Green', the main beachfront in the capital Colombo, where people from all walks of life gathered, to protest outside the president's secretariat. The nation is still in dire need of necessities that the rich, poor and the middle class all want alike. Overnight, the nation has been plunged into an egalitarian society of the kind no socialist had dreamt of, and not certainly in a way that anyone wished for.

Legacy issue: For the presently unfolding Lankan crisis, it is now too late in the day, more so for those outside the country, to fix responsibility for the nation's economic mess and forex shortage. The pandemic-driven lockdown that hit the nation's forex-earners like tourism, tea, textile exports and also inward remittances can take only a part of the blame—and they were all more than visible when the width and depth of the Covid crisis became known in the first few months.

Sri Lanka's economic problems are more basic and structural; it is a legacy issue, which was passed on from one elected government to the next, after adding their own share of problems. It began with the much-touted market-driven economic reforms of the western kind killing what still remains an agrarian economy, with the informal dairy industry taking the biggest hit early on. That was when the government allowed the import of milk powder and other dairy products for the elite 'Colombo Seven' tea and dining tables, a fashion that has since caught on with the urban middle class, which has also taken to bread and sandwiches for breakfast.

To this, the Rajapaksas, in power nearly for 13 of the past 17-plus years, added their own set of problems when war-victor President Mahinda R (2005–15) invited Chinese investments in port, power and expressway projects. Initially, there was record GDP growth, but as was predictable, it was a 'jobless growth' because the Chinese brought in all the men and material. The Rajapaksas' adversarial successors in office, the ever-quarrelling Maithri-Ranil duo (2015–19), while blaming it all on the Rajapaksas, did little to reverse this particular trend.

To this, President Gotabaya, elected in 2019, added his own senseless subsidies ahead of the parliamentary polls in 2020. His Sri Lanka Podujana Peramuna combine would have won the elections anyway. However, in the name of the continuing Covid-induced fiscal crisis, he offered huge tax and duty cuts.

> India is powerful as a self-sustaining regional leader and is helpful when needed. But in having to restore political stability of whatever kind and under whichever leadership the Sri Lankan people want, New Delhi is powerless, and hence helpless. That is a reality that Indians have to be aware of and also alive to

Helpless, powerless: Sri Lanka today needs a lot of fuel, food and pharma supplies, say, at least for the next two or three years, until the local situation stabilises. There is also greater-urgency for boosting forex reserves, and debt restructuring. All of it, especially the last one, only a government in Colombo can initiate, but it cannot wait, either.

With great and inexplicable reluctance attributable to ideology, the Rajapaksas have finally agreed to revive the predecessor's idea of knocking at the doors of the IMF, which alone can cushion the badly-needed forex reserves. The recent changes in the character of foreign investments mean that India's public and private sector can boost local production of cost-effective forms of renewable energy, which can also create jobs and generate family incomes for the domestic population. Against this, the government, for once, has approached China for credit facilities without linking them to jobless infrastructure projects that had proved to be white elephants in the past.

India can supply food and fuel, yes, in abundance, if it came to that. On food, India has adequate stocks. On fuel, India has taken a huge risk in the midst of the Russia-Ukraine war, just as it did with Covid supplies without providing first for meeting domestic needs, as part of its 'Neighbourhood First' policy and the larger concept of '*Vasudeva kutumbakam*', meaning, 'the world is one big family'. Yet, it is only so much India can do.

Before the economic crisis took a political colour, the opposition Samagi Jana Balawegaya party, had questioned Indian project fundings, at times attributing motives openly to Prime Minister Narendra Modi as far as the Adani investments in port and renewable energy projects were concerned. But then, whatever the dynamics and accusations, India in particular cannot afford an unstable Sri Lanka, particularly at a time when there are signs of restlessness in common neighbour Maldives and visible disturbances in Pakistan.

In theoretical terms, India has the power, economic and otherwise, to set matters right, at least in the IOR neighbourhood, but is stymied by political realities and diplomatic niceties. It is particularly so at a time when Sri Lanka is seen as having moved equidistant between China and India from a visible pro-Beijing tilt.

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ARCHITECTURAL CONSERVATION – AN INDIAN PERSPECTIVE

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Temples of south India have been a true repository of religious, art and cultural glory. Conceptualised and developed over hundreds of years, a big chunk of the history of ancient Tamil culture is best studied from the temple corridors. Protecting the shrines from collapsing and ensuring that the suggested method of conservation does not create more mess are two major parts of temple conservation. However, words like protection, restoration and conservation of ancient structures are all viewed as foreign in nature, and manuals and methodologies suggested by western scholars are referred to. Aspects of indigenous protection, though available in plenty, are still awaiting their approval by modern conservation specialists.

Jeernodhara Dasakam, a work comprising of ten verses and a detailed prose commentary authored by Nigamagnana, a great Saiva Siddantha *acharya* of 16th century CE, details out the nuances of conservation of Siva temples with strict-adherence to agamic traditions. Nigamagnana is believed to have been a resident of Tiruvannamalai town when this work was authored. He invokes the blessings of Ganesha installed in the gopuram constructed by the Sambhuvaraiyar kings. As a prelude, he refers to the Agamas, a compendium of supreme knowledge and an ancient system of traditional spiritual know-how passed on over generations. He goes on to describe the importance of religious towns and suggests devotees to spend two-thirds of their income on charity. The importance of conserving ancient temples is emphasised by enlisting it as one of the five noble acts of devotion towards Siva.

In the initial verses, the author enlists the bad effects that dilapidated and unattended temples can have on the city or settlement. Renovation activity is classified into three categories covering three different areas—the temple structure, the Sivalinga in the sanctum and other images of Siva installed and worshipped. Structural renovation is again classified into six types—repairing the floor and walls of sanctum sanctorum (like levelling the stone slabs, etc.), major structural renovations that would require a makeshift shrine being built, conservation of corridors, repair works for cloistered halls or mandapas, preservation of sub shrines in the temple complex and issues relating to *Vaastu*.

A detailed analysis on finalising the material palette for conservation speaks about the wide range of subjects the priests had mastered. Introducing a new material to an existing structure is generally prohibited in modern-day practice. The author from 16th century looks upon it as an unhealthy practice and insists that its best avoided. A new material shall not gel with the existing structure and would cause severe damage to the structural stability. So Nigamagnana prescribes the use of the same material and also advices to carry on repair works wherever necessary. In cases like when the plastering on walls are worn out or the painting has faded, it is enough to repair those respective parts alone.

> Protection, restoration and conservation of ancient structures are all viewed as foreign. Aspects of indigenous protection, though available in plenty, are still awaiting their approval by modern conservation specialists. ... It is now for us to consider indigenous works and start consulting them for our needs. After all, local issues need local solutions

In situations like dilapidation of the complete structure, the manual suggests that the deities are carefully shifted to a makeshift shelter where the daily rituals alone are conducted. The temple is completely reconstructed again with the same material without altering the sizes and proportions of the spaces. But interestingly, in case of a complete reconstruction, the author gives us the leverage of changing the material to a more superior one than the previous structure. That is, in case the initial temple built with bricks got dilapidated, it can be replaced by a better and more durable material, stone masonry for example. This should have been the rule that helped several kings of south India, especially around he t10th century, when several ancient temples, sanctified by the visits of saint poets like Nayanmars and Alwars were demolished and rebuilt in stone. Under such circumstances, the dimensions of the structures have also changed and new spaces and shrines should have been added.

Conservation activities are suggested to be completed within 12 years from the time of starting. In case of untoward incidences like fire accidents, an architect and priest—both well versed in the agamic texts—should carefully inspect and assess the site. If the sanctum sanctorum is damaged, the shrine becomes unfit for worshipping and hence immediately the divinity in the deity is to be transferred through suggested rituals to a representative icon. It can be a *poorna kumbha*, a sword, a painting on a piece of cloth or on a wall, holy sandals of the deity, a mandala, etc., in which the sanctity of the main deity is transferred and installed in a shrine until such times the damaged structures are conserved and brought back to life.

Ancillary spaces like ponds, wells and tanks also have prescribed methods of conservation. Apart from frequent services being done, the quality of water needs to be monitored and flood drains are to be checked and desilted. Repairing damaged steps to temple tanks promised high merits to the donor. Restoration and conservation of kitchen spaces, halls and gopurams are all covered extensively in the Agamas. Translation of several of these traditional works has also been published. It is now for us to consider these as indigenous works of traditional knowledge and start consulting them for our needs. After all, local issues need local solutions.

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Unfortunate accident

It's sad that two tourists had lost their lives and several others were injured in the Jharkhand ropeway tragedy. But if not for the rescue efforts made by the disaster response force, IAF, ITBP and the state police, the casualties would have been higher. The accident, however, should not discourage people from visiting the place because an inquiry has been ordered into the mishap and assurances have been given that those responsible for the lapse would be brought to the book.

P G Menon, Chennai

Strong statement from PM

This is with reference to *Direct talks the only way to end Ukraine war: PM* (April 12). There is an irrational allegation that India is not taking an assertive step in ending the Russia-Ukraine conflict. The fact, however, is that the PM has been unequivocal in telling Putin to end the stalemate.

K R Parvathy, Mysuru

Following in Nehru's steps

Though our present Prime Minister Narendra Modi is always critical of Jawaharlal Nehru, in a few things, he is following the latter's footsteps, especially the non-aligned foreign policy. Nehru was well known as the leader of the Non Aligned Movement and third world developing countries. The non-aligned foreign policy of India initiated by Nehru and followed by Modi is being appreciated by the entire world.

T Kailash Ditya, Hyderabad

Hindi not the link language

It is ironic that the ruling BJP government has envisaged the National Educational Policy with an aim of promoting the mother tongues of all states while the home minister talks about Hindi as the link language. His statements were antithetical and appalling. India is a country known for its unity in diversity. Any such sparking remarks may destroy the social fabric of our nation.

M Rishidev, Dindigul

Need healthy competition

This is with reference to *When one city is pitted against another* (April 12). Competition per se is not bad. In fact, it leads to quality improvement. Similarly, competition between cities is also not bad, provided they improve the ease of doing business. Competition should not be confined to grabbing the current business, it should be innovative for future opportunities.

Dharmarajan A K, Thalassery

SilverLine blues

In the article *SilverLine will be a bitter project for Kerala* (April 11), it was clearly pointed out that K-Rail will damage the state's ecology. Communist parties are known for their staunch opposition whenever lands of the common people are acquired by the governing regimes. One hopes that people are not made to repent later.

R Sridharan, Chennai

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TWEETS OF THE DAY

Prashant Bhushan @pbhushan1
Virtually in all BJP tates, the rule of law is gone, as mobs, religious & political leaders openly call for violence against Muslims

Mehbooba Mufti @MehboobaMufti
GoI wilfully spreads fake propaganda about Kashmiri mainstream & muslims responsible for pandit exodus & doesn't want this narrative to be exposed

Subramanian Swamy @Swamy39
Time to reduce Petrol Diesel prices to Jan 31 levels since crude oil price have been reduced to $100 minus, the Jan 31 level

India says import minimal as US talks rights

Jaishankar doesn't react to Blinken rights violation remark, says import of oil from Russia much less than Europe

YESHI SELI @ New Delhi

(L-R) Rajnath Singh, S Jaishankar, US Secretary of State Antony Blinken and Defense Secretary Lloyd Austin after the 2+2 meeting in Washington DC | PTI

THE issue of human rights violations in India came up during the 2+2 ministerial meeting between India and the US in Washington DC.

"We regularly engage with our Indian partners on these shared values, and to that end, we are monitoring some recent concerning developments in India, including a rise in human rights abuses by some government, police, and prison officials," US Secretary of State Antony J Blinken said.

India's representatives in the meeting — External Affairs Minister S Jaishaknar and Defence Minister Rajnath Singh — did not react to Blinken's statement. This point was not mentioned in a statement issued by the two sides. US Secretary of Defence Lloyd J Austin was the other participant in the meeting on Monday night.

Import of oil and gas from Russia came up for discussion and India stated that its import is not as significant as it is made out to be. Jaishankar said the country imports much less than several European nations put together. "If you are looking at energy purchases from Russia, I would suggest that your attention should be focussed on Europe. We do buy some energy which is necessary for our energy security. But I suspect, looking at the figures, probably our total purchase for a month would be less than what Europe does in an afternoon. You might want to think about that," he said.

There were discussions on the Russia-Ukraine conflict and India's stand on Russia. "A good part of my meeting with Secretary Blinken was spent on the conflict in Ukraine that has many ramifications. Even countries far away are worrying about energy security, food security, commodities prices and logistics disruption," said Jaishankar.

The US acknowledged that India and Russia have traditional ties with each other and suggested it is a matter of time before India and the US are on the same page on most issues.

Both countries called for concerted action against terrorists groups. The ministers called on Pakistan to take immediate, sustained and irreversible action to ensure that no territory under its control is used for terrorist attacks. India will host the next round of the meeting.

THANKING MODI, PAK PM MENTIONS J&K

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ New Delhi

NEW Pakistan Prime Minister Shehbaz Sharif on Tuesday thanked his Indian counterpart Narendra Modi for felicitating him and said his country desires "peaceful and cooperative" ties with India. Sharif, however, emphasised that peaceful settlement of outstanding disputes including Jammu and Kashmir is indispensable.

"Pakistan desires peaceful & cooperative ties with India. Peaceful settlement of outstanding disputes including Jammu & Kashmir is indispensable. Pakistan's sacrifices in fighting terrorism are well-known. Let's secure peace and focus on socio-economic development of our people," Sharif tweeted while replying to Modi's congratulatory message.

Modi on Monday congratulated Sharif on his election as the PM of Pakistan and said India desires peace and stability in a region free of terror so that "we can focus on our development challenges and ensure the well-being and prosperity of our people."

In his inaugural speech on Monday, Sharif had raised the issue of abrogation of Article 370 in Kashmir and alleged that the people in the Valley were bleeding and Pakistan will provide them with "diplomatic and moral support" besides raising the matter at every international fora.

Sharif, who replaced Imran Khan after a high voltage political tussle, said he wanted good relations with India, but it cannot be achieved without the resolution of the Kashmir issue. Ties between India and Pakistan deteriorated after India announced withdrawing the special powers of Jammu and Kashmir and bifurcation of the state into two union territories in August 2019.

NEW SCHEME

Green light for two full-time courses at the same time: UGC

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ New Delhi

THE University Grants Commission (UGC) on Tuesday announced that students will now be able to pursue two full-time academic programmes simultaneously, which will help expand their knowledge base.

Students can choose a diploma programme alongside an undergraduate degree, two master's programmes, or two bachelor's programmes. They can do it at the same university or from different universities. Earlier, regulations did not allow two full-time programmes at the same time. The new guideline will be uploaded on the UGC website on Wednesday.

The guidelines will apply to all the programmes across the country and universities. However, it will not be mandatory.

In a virtual meeting, UGC chairman M Jagadesh Kumar said under the National Education Policy, this move aims to offer flexibility and personalisation of higher education and allow multidisciplinary education across various domains.

He added that if a student is eligible to pursue a post-graduate degree and wants to enroll in a bachelor's degree in a different subjct, he or she will be able to pursue those simultaneously. But class timing must not clash.

Kumar clarified that the guidelines apply to lecture-based courses, including undergraduate, post-graduate and diploma programmes. MPhil and PhD programmes do not come under this scheme.

The UGC had been planning such a move for a long time, but received the go-ahead for it in 2020. The commission had set up a committee in 2012 to examine the idea, and consultations were held, but ultimately the idea was junked.

EMOTIONAL REUNION

Mother's belief comes true, man back after 12 years in Karachi prison

RAMASHANKAR @ Patna

CHHAVI Musahar was just 23 when he suddenly disappeared from his home in Bihar's Buxar district in 2009. After searching for him a couple of years, the relatives came to a conclusion that the youth was dead, and conducted his funeral rites. Even his wife, with whom Musahar had entered wedlock in 2007, married again. Only one person in the village kept alive a flicker of hope: His mother, Birti Devi.

Back to the present, almost 13 years after his disappearance, Musahar stepped into his home again on Tuesday, much to the disbelief of everyone in Buxar's Khilafatpur village. With tears rolling down on her check, Birti gave a traditional welcome to her lost son at the gate of their house. "Today is the happiest day in my life. I have got my son back. I am thankful to the Almighty for showering his blessings on the family," the 55-year-old mother said.

Birti said she used to perform 'chhath puja' for her son's well-being every year even after rest of the family abandoned any hope of Musahar being alive. "*Bhagwan ne meri fariyad sun lee* (God has listened to my prayers)," she said. "We had searched him everywhere — from relatives' houses to railway stations, bus stands and even hospitals — for two years, but there was no trace of him," said elder brother Ravi.

Brought back from Wagah

A team of police personnel from Bihar's Buxar travelled all the way to Wagah border in Punjab where Chhavi Mushar was handed over by the Pakistani Rangers on Sunday

The question on everyone's lips was what transpired in the life of Musahar between 2009 and 2022. Even the government officials who brought him back from the India-Pakistan border in Punjab are still clueless. It is suspected that the youth accidently crossed the border somewhere in Punjab and landed in the hands of Pakistani authorities.

Buxar District Magistrate Aman Samir said they received information from the Ministry of External Affairs in December regarding Musahar languishing in a jail in Karachi.

After silence, health ministry holds meeting on XE

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ New Delhi

EVEN though the government is yet to officially acknowledge the presence of Omicron's subvariant XE in India, Union Health Minister Mansukh Mandaviya on Tuesday held a high-level meeting and directed officials to strengthen the monitoring of new variants.

The minister chaired a review meeting with experts and officials on the new variant, which is 10 per cent more transmissible. He directed officials to constantly review the availability of essential drugs and medicines for Covid-19 treatment as five states — Haryana, Delhi, Maharashtra, Mizoram and Kerala — have witnessed a slight rise in cases.

The health ministry had been quiet on XE all this while. It rejected claims that one case was found in Maharashtra and did not say anything when another was reported from Gujarat.

In a tweet, the minister said he had a meeting with experts on the 'new XE variant' and the emergence of new variants.

The meeting was attended by Dr VK Paul, Member (Health), NITI Ayog, Health Secretary Rajesh Bhushan, Dr Randip Guleria (Director, AIIMS), Dr Balrama Bhargava (Director General, ICMR), Dr N K Arora (chief of National Technical Advisory Group on Immunisation in India) and senior officials of the health ministry.

The XE variant is a combination of BA.1 and BA.2 strains of Omicron. It has generated concern worldwide and also in India, where all Covid-related restrictions have been lifted. Some states have even made masks non-mandatory.

The World Health Organisation has not termed XE a variant of concern yet. However, the global body has said it requires further confirmation.

Total vaccination above 186 crore

New Delhi: Over 16,709 precaution doses of Covid-19 vaccines were administered to beneficiaries in the 18-59 years age group on Tuesday, taking the total of such doses given in this age group to 44,439, according to the Union health ministry. India's cumulative vaccination coverage has crossed 186.05 crore (1,86,05,24,339), with 13,28,485 doses administered till 7 pm, the ministry said. It added that the daily vaccination tally is expected to go up with the compilation of the final reports by late night. India began administering the precaution doses of the vaccines to all aged above 18 years at private vaccination centres from Sunday. The response of the first day was lukewarm.

Mandaviya emphasised that the vaccination drive must be carried out at full pace. He also highlighted that the total fatality rate was much lower in India compared to many developed countries. India reported 380 deaths per million compared to the global average of 788 deaths, he said and added that India was also able to limit the infection's spread, with 31,383 cases reported per million against 63,458 globally.

Salem affidavit by Apr 18: SC to Home Secy

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ New Delhi

THE Supreme Court on Tuesday granted a last opportunity to the Home Secretary to file his affidavit on whether India will honour the commitment made by its then Deputy Prime Minister LK Advani to Portugal in 2002 on limiting gangster Abu Salem's jail term to 25 years. He has file by April 18.

The CBI has said an Indian court is not bound by the assurance given by the then Deputy PM. The court said it is not satisfied by its affidavit that the assurance given by India to Portugal on the maximum sentence during the extradition of Salem, a convict in the 1993 Mumbai blasts case, is not binding on Indian courts. Salem's says his imprisonment can't exceed beyond 25 years.

EXPRESS READ

Normal monsoon likely in Rajasthan, Gujarat

New Delhi: Monsoon is expected to be normal and parts of Rajasthan and Gujarat and the northeast region may be at risk of being rain deficit throughout the season, said private forecaster Skymet. The first half of the season is expected to fare better than the latter and monsoon is likely to make a decent start during the onset month of June.

CBI given go-ahead to prosecute Aakar Patel

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ New Delhi

THE Centre has given go-ahead to the CBI to prosecute Amnesty International India and its former chief Aakar Patel for alleged violations of the Foreign Contribution Regulation Act (FCRA).

The CBI had sought the sanction of the government to prosecute the international human rights organisation because of mandatory clause of Section 40 of the FCRA. Section 40 bars any court to take cognisance of offence under the FCRA without the previous sanction of the Central Government or any officer authorised by that Government in this behalf.

The charge sheet was filed on December 31, 2021, by the agency in the Special CBI Court against Patel and Amnesty International India under Section 11 read with Sections 35 and 39 of the Act after a two-year probe into alleged violations, they said. The court will take cognisance of charges on April 18.

Following the charge sheet, the agency had issued a Look Out Circular against Patel on the basis of which he was stopped from leaving Bengaluru airport for the US where he was scheduled to deliver academic lectures.

A court had allowed withdrawal of the LOC but the order was overturned last Friday by a Special Judge who had asked Patel to not leave the country without permission.

RELIEF FOR CONG LEADER

Conviction of Hardik Patel stayed by Supreme Court

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ New Delhi

THE Supreme Court on Tuesday stayed the conviction of Gujarat Congress president Hardik Patel in an alleged violence and rioting case. The court was hearing a plea filed by him against a judgment of the Gujarat High Court, which refused to stay the conviction. Patel was unable to contest the 2019 Lok Sabha elections due to this.

"We are of the view that the high court could have stayed the conviction. The conviction is, hereby, stayed until the appeals are decided accordingly," a bench of Justices S.Abdul Nazeer and Vikram Nath said.

Appearing for Patel, senior advocate Maninder Singh said the conviction is a violation of his rights and he has already lost a chance to contest elections. He added that his rights under Article 19(1)(a) of the Constitution should be protected. Solicitor General Tushar Mehta, appearing for the Gujarat government, said the matter should be heard on the parameters of conviction under criminal law and not on his right to contest elections.

Patel had sought a direction to suspend the conviction order passed on July 25, 2018, by a sessions court in Mahesana in Visnagar. The court had sentenced him to two years.

VARANASI HICCUP, BUT BJP SWEEPS COUNCIL POLLS, S.P. WIPED OUT

NAMITA BAJPAI @ Lucknow

THE BJP on Tuesday swept the UP Legislative Council biennial polls winning 33 of the 36 seats up for grabs. However, it failed to save pride in Varanasi, the parliamentary constituency of Prime Minister Narendra Modi. Last month, the party had retained power by registered a resounding victory in the UP Assembly elections.

In Varanasi, Annapurna Singh, an Independent candidate and wife of local strongman Brijesh Singh, won the council seat convincingly by getting 4,230 votes, pushing the BJP to third position. In 2016, Brijesh had won the same seat as an Independent while the BJP had not fielded a candidate against him. Brijesh has been winning the seat for the last 24 years. But BJP getting third position with SP at number two in the prestigious seat will worry the party leadership.

The BJP also lost Azamgarh and Pratapgarh seats to Independents. In Azamgarh, Vikrant Singh, son of expelled BJP MLC Yashwant Singh won the election. Yashwant was chucked out for fielding his son against the official party candidate. In Pratapgarh, the ruling party failed to break the charisma of local don Raja Bhaiyya and lost the seat to his cousin Akshay Pratap Singh of Jansatta Dal Loktantrik, the political outfit of Raja Bhaiyya.

The SP scored a duck despite being in a straight fight against the BJP. The BSP and the Congress had chosen not to field candidates. For SP chief Akhilesh Yadav, being trounced in the Etawah-Farrukhabad bastion would be a big blow.

Seats that went to polls: 36

BJP 33 | SP 0 | Independents 3

BJP 66 ● SP 17 ● BSP 4 ● Cong 1
● Apna Dal (S) 1 ● NISHAD 1
● Jansatta Dal Loktantrik 1
● Independents 6 ● Vacant 3

Dr Kafeel Khan loses

Prominent among the SP candidates who lost was Dr Kafeel Khan, the paediatrician who was jailed earlier for his alleged role in an oxygen supply case in 2017. Dr Khan lost from Deoria to BJP's Ratanpal Singh

Psychological impact

Tuesday's result will have a psychological impact on the 2024 poll preparations. "While the BJP will feel much stronger, the SP will have to gather itself for a tough battle of ballots ahead in 2024," says Prof A K Mishra, a political scientist

HC blow for factory linked to Maharashtra BJP MP

SHAHID FARIDI @ New Delhi

THE Bombay High Court has passed a restraining order against a prominent Vikhe Patil family-owned sugar factory in Ahmednagar, asking the promoters not to enter the premises of a local power plant, and not to carry out any work/activity therein.

The Vikhe Patil family, to which the local MP Sujay Vikhe Patil belongs, controls the Padamshri Dr Vitthalrao Vikhe Patil Sahakari Sakhar Karkhana in Ahmednagar district. Pravara Renewable Energy Ltd (PREL) had set up the power plant at the sugar factory premises of Sahakari Sakhar Karkhana. Late last year, the Karkhana allegedly ousted PREL, occupied the power plant and started running it.

PREL filed a commercial arbitration petition before the Bombay High Court. The court said that the Karkhana's forceful operation of the power plant was illegal and the parties would lose faith in the system if their contractual rights were taken away using political power. "Irreparable damage will be caused to the plant if the Karkhana continues to operate the plant," it said.

The court said the "the petitioner's case is of coercive actions having taken place to oust the petitioner from the co-generation plant by the respondent after the present petition was filed on 12 October 2021.

The respondent using its dominating position as a powerful sugar factory."

The court further said that prima facie, it is apparent that there is a systematic commercial modus operandi on the part of the Karkhana to take over the co-gen plant. Firstly, by permitting PREL to set up the co-gen plant for which the PREL incurred substantial expenditure of ₹274 crore by borrowing funds fully to the knowledge of the Karkhana, and thereafter by not supplying the agreed amount of bagasse and biogas, the basic raw-material for generation of power and steam, thereby depriving PREL of a normal functioning of the plant to recoup its investments and earn profits.

The court also made adverse remarks about the dismantling of the biogas pipeline and using it for the captive generation facility, which was a clear indication that there was no intention to supply biogas thereby crippling PREL.

CASH FOR VOTE

Police have registered a non-cognisable offence against some BJP workers for alleged distribution of cash in Kolhapur, where voting for the bypoll to Kolhapur North Assembly seat was held on Tuesday, an official said

2 KILLED IN BLAST AT 'ILLEGAL' MP FIRECRACKER UNIT

INDIA	Max	Min		Max	Min
Ahmedabad	41	23	Mumbai	35	25
Bhopal	33	23	Panaji	36	26
Jaipur	40	27	Patna	37	24
Amritsar	37	22	Lucknow	39	25
Chennai	35	25	Port Blair	32	25
Kolkata	35	27	Imphal	27	18
Srinagar	22	11	Chandigarh	38	24

Bulldozing action by MP govt kicks up political storm

Rahul Gandhi accuses BJP govt of spreading fear; MP home minister says action will continue, denies targeting of any particular section

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bhopal

THE bulldozing of "illegal" properties of alleged rioters in the communal violence-hit Khargone and Sendhwa towns of Madhya Pradesh is turning into a major political storm.

Tweeting on the issue, former Congress president Rahul Gandhi said "instead of bulldozing major public problems like inflation and unemployment, the BJP's bulldozer is ridden by hate and fear".

AIMIM chief Asaduddin Owasi alleged the MP government was "terrorising" a particular community. "Properties of a particular community are being bulldozed as part of a plan to terrorise them and make them feel that they are second class citizens in their own country. Which IPC section provides for bulldozing the property of people accused in rioting cases, even before they are held guilty by the court? Are the BJP government in MP and its home minister acting as the court and jury?" said the Hyderabad MP.

Former MP chief minister Digvijaya Singh also raised the issue of the minority community being "targeted by the bulldozer" in Khargone and Sendhwa. "Does the country's Constitution have any provision for the present bulldozer culture? But even then, if you've to run the bulldozer, then that action shouldn't discriminate on the basis of religion," he tweeted.

Shielding the criticism, MP Home minister Narottam Mishra said, "There were no tweets when Singh's and Asaduddin Owaisi's *shanti doots* (messengers of peace) were pelting stones on Ram Navami processions. Tweets are being done only when action is being taken against stone-throwers. The bulldozing action will continue," he said.

Defending the bulldozing action, he said: "There is no question of differentiating between the guilty when the rioters are clearly seen throwing stones in video footage. The real issue is who began the violence and not about those who responded in self-defence. The state government is not bothered about the accusations of it targeting anyone."

DIGVIJAYA LANDS IN TROUBLE OVER TWEET

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bhopal

THE Madhya Pradesh Police on Tuesday registered an FIR against former chief minister and Rajya Sabha member Digvijaya Singh for "promoting enmity between two communities" after he tweeted a picture of a mosque outside the state while commenting on the communal violence in Khargone district.

Singh had posted a series of tweets on the Khargone communal violence on Tuesday morning. In one of the tweets, Singh used a picture in which a youth could be seen hoisting a saffron flag on a mosque. "Is it appropriate to hoist flag while wielding *lathi* and sword? Did the Khargone administration allow carrying out a procession with arms?"

However, the picture tweeted by Singh later turned out to be from outside the state, after which the politician deleted it. The tweet, however, had by then triggered a political controversy in the state.

Yuva Morcha members burn an effigy of Digvijay Singh in Jabalpur | PTI

Man in Delhi lynched on cow slaughter suspicion

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ New Delhi

A caretaker of a farmhouse in Delhi's Dwarka area was lynched by a group of alleged *gau rakshaks* on the suspicion of slaughtering cows and selling beef. Six others were injured in the attack.

Police said a team was rushed to Chhawla locality on Monday night after information was received that a group of men were slaughtering cows and selling beef in the area. But before the team could reach the spot, a group of 10-15 unidentified men had already reached there and attacked those present at the farmhouse, a senior police officer said. Rajaram, 40, the caretaker of the farmhouse, and the others thrashed by the vigilantes were taken to a hospital, but Rajaram succumbed to injuries.

Police said two FIRs had been registered on the basis of the details given by the injured as well as locals. "Our teams have collected a few samples from the spot and sent it for examination. Two separate cases have been registered in the matter and five men were arrested from the spot," the officer said.

The arrests were made in connection with alleged cow slaughter while no one has been arrested so far in the murder and assault case.

According to one of the FIRs, an injured associate of Rajaram said the deceased used to bring cows from his native place for slaughtering and selling the meat. However, Rajaram's wife claimed her husband sold cow milk to make ends meet and that locals had spread rumours about him. "My husband was innocent. He had been suffering from liver ailment and under treatment. He had never indulged in cow slaughter or anything illegal," she said.

POWER CRISIS

Delhi CM's meeting with Punjab officials receives flak

HARPREET BAJWA @ Chandigarh

A political storm has erupted in Punjab over Delhi CM and AAP national convener Arvind Kejriwal's meeting with state's bureaucrats, reportedly in the absence of Chief Minister Bhagwant Mann. Both Kejriwal and Mann have come under fire, with the opposition alleging that the Punjab government was being 'remote-controlled' from Delhi.

Kejriwal met Punjab's power corporation officials and power secretary in Delhi on Monday to reportedly discuss implementation of AAP's poll promise of providing free electricity up to 300 units, even as the state has been witnessing long power cuts because of coal shortage.

SAD chief Sukhbir Singh Badal termed the meeting "unconstitutional and unacceptable". Senior leader Daljit Singh Cheema said the manner in which the Delhi CM was riding roughshod over constitutional norms had made Punjabis insecure whether their interests would be protected.

State Congress president Amrinder Singh Raja Warring tweeted, "Will Punjab be puppeteered by Delhi people?... Will senior officials of Punjab have to mark their attendance in the 'Darbar' of Kejriwal?"

AAP's Punjab spokesperson Malwinder Kang defended the move saying, "If he (Kejriwal) held an informal meeting for the benefit of the people of Punjab, it should be welcomed."

Gujarat: Tension prevails as rioters attack houses with petrol bombs

DILIP SINGH KSHATRIYA @ Ahmedabad

PEACE continues to elude Himmat Nagar in Gujarat following the communal riots which began during the Ram Navami processions on Sunday. Despite prohibitory orders being in place, Vanjarawas locality of Himmat Nagar reported a fresh spurt of violence on Monday night after rioters belonging to one community attacked the houses of other community. Besides Himmat Nagar, two more districts — Khambhat and Dwarka — in the state had reported riots on Sunday.

Meanwhile, Chief Minister Bhupendra Patel convened a special meeting at his official residence in Gandhinagar on Tuesday night to take stock of the situation. The meeting would be attended by Home minister Harsh Sanghvi, chief secretary, home secretary and the DGP.

Vanjarawas residents alleged that rioters ransacked and looted several houses on Monday night, despite the police ordering the people to not venture out. Earlier, the police had appealed to the members of both communities to maintain peace and even organised 'peace committee' meetings. It is reported that despite all the measures, the rioters threw stones and petrol bombs at the houses of a particular community, forcing a dozen families to flee.

Sabarkantha police superintendent Vishal Vaghela confirmed the incident. "We received information regarding stone-throwing on Monday night and immediately reached the spot. We had to fire tear gas to bring the situation under control and disperse the mob. We have detained 10 people," the police officer said.

An elderly couple who fled the locality said a mob of around 500 men surrounded their colony and started hurling stones and petrol bombs at their house. "We survived because the roof of our house was strong. We are scared to go back there and moving to a safer place," they said, not wanting to reveal their names.

MAMATA COMMENT FLAYED

HC orders CBI probe into gang rape and murder of minor girl in Bengal

PRANAB MONDAL @ Kolkata

A day after West Bengal Chief Minister Mamata Banerjee made a comment giving a "love angle" to the alleged gang rape and murder of a 14-year-old girl by the son of a local Trinamool Congress leader in Nadia's Hanskhali, a division bench of Calcutta High Court, chaired by Chief Justice Prakash Srivastava, on Tuesday ordered a CBI probe into the incident.

The family members of the minor girl alleged in their police complaint, which was filed five days after the incident, that they cremated her body at a local crematorium without opting for a post-mortem and obtaining a death certificate under pressure from the TMC leader.

"In the complaint, the family alleged the girl was dropped at their house by two women from the TMC leader's house where she had gone to attend a birthday party. As the girl was bleeding profusely, the family took her to local quack but she died in the next morning," said an officer at Hanskhali police station quoting the complaint lodged by the family.

The police have arrested Sohail Goala, the TMC leader's son, who allegedly raped her, and one of his accomplices in connection with the incident.

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>
> Governor Jagdeep Dhankhar

The police also interrogated the quack and the employees of the crematorium.

Referring to the incident, Mamata on Monday said, "Was there a love affair between the girl and the youth? Was she pregnant? The girl died on April 5 and the complaint was lodged on April 10. Why was the complaint not lodged on the same day?"

The chief minister's remark immediately drew flak. "Mamata Banerjee's crass comment on the rape and murder of 14 year old girl in Hanskhali is not just abhorrent but also steeped in gross illegality. Sexual intercourse with a minor is rape. It is a crime. Her murder is a crime. Bengal CM shamed the victim and defended the accused," tweeted BJP's Amit Malviya.

Reacting to Mamata's comment, Governor Jagdeep Dhankhar tweeted, "Criminal investigation in the shameful rape #Hanskhali is tainted when people in authority & constitutional position indicate judgmental stance. This is against a fair & independent probe as the police are forced to toe such line."

Representatives of the state child protection society visited Hanskhali on Tuesday and met the family members of the victim.

Centre seeks report on JNU violence

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ New Delhi

TAKING note of the scuffle between two student groups in the Jawaharlal Nehru University (JNU) over non-vegetarian food being served in the hostel mess on the Ram Navami day, the Union education ministry has sought a report.

According to officials, the ministry has sought a "formal report' as per standard procedures from the JNU administration.

On Sunday, the Akhil Bharatiya Vidyarthi Parishad (ABVP) and Left-wing students clashed at the university's Kaveri Hostel over serving non-vegetarian food on Ram Navami in the hostel mess.

On Monday, the two student groups lodged police complaints against each other, with police saying 20 students were injured in the violence.

The university registrar, in a statement, said the violence occurred after some students objected to 'havan' organised on the occasion of Ram Navami.

'INDIAN' FLIGHT

Union Minister for Civil Aviation Jyotiraditya Scindia with Union Minister Kiren Rijiju and other dignitaries during the beginning of the services of the 17 seater Made-in-India Dornier 228 aircraft on Tuesday | PTI

The first flight was operated by the Alliance Air from Dibrugarh in Assam to Pasighat in Arunachal Pradesh

In February this year, the Alliance Air had signed an agreement with the HAL for leasing two 17-seater Dornier 228 aircraft

The services will be further expanded to Tezu, Mechuka, Ziro and Tuting in Arunachal with the Dibrugarh airport as the hub

Bodo does a favour to BJP, expects a reward

They say there are no permanent friends or enemies in politics. The BJP has mended fences with the Bodoland People's Front (BPF), a year after virtually severing ties with the party that is headed by former rebel leader-turned-politician Hagrama Mohilary. Ahead of last year's Assembly elections, the BJP had ditched the BPF upon finding a new friend in United People's Party Liberal (UPPL). Recently, elections were held to two Rajya Sabha seats in the state and the BJP and its ally UPPL had won one seat each. The votes of the BPF MLAs were crucial for the BJP-led coalition. Now, the BPF is hoping that it will be rewarded with ministerial berths for doing the favour to the BJP.

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GUWAHATI DIARY

Kaziranga not yet encroachment-free

Freeing Kaziranga National Park from encroachment was one of the key poll promises of the BJP in 2016 when it was trying to make inroads into Assam and the Northeast. But after grabbing power, the party was found to be selective in its drive against encroachment. It had evicted many poor families but did not touch the properties of the rich and influential people. In 2019, the Supreme Court had banned all new constructions on the animal corridors. It had also ordered the removal of existing structures. Despite the court's order, the authorities did not remove the structures. The BJP-led government, however, managed to protect the rhinos from poachers as promised.

Man buys scooty in coins, dream gets fulfilled

Small is beautiful. Small could be big too. The executives at a two-wheeler showroom on the outskirts of Guwahati were surprised the other day when Upen Roy, a city resident, visited them with a bundle of coins to fulfil a long-cherished dream. It was in 2014 that Roy had started saving in coins to buy a two-wheeler. Recently, he discovered he amassed `1.5 lakh in coins. He spent a little over `92,000 to buy a scooty. The bank that the showroom contacted refused to accept the payment in coins. But the manager rescued the man from the situation by getting the coins exchanged with currency notes by approaching his friends, employees and acquaintances.

Ropeway operator under scanner over accident

MUKESH RANJAN @ Ranchi

TERMING it a "rarest of the rare" event, the operators of the Trikut Hills ropeway in Jharkhand claimed the accident, which claimed three lives and kept 45 people stranded midair for several hours in Deoghar, happened due to the dislocation of the rope from the pole wheel.

The contract for operating the ropeway at Trikut Hills in Deoghar had been awarded to Damodar Ropeways and Infra Limited by the state tourism department. "The accident took place after the rope got dislocated from the pole wheel. Such incidents don't happen usually, and hence, a thorough investigation will be conducted by the technical team which already has reached here," said general manager (commercial) of the firm. He also refuted the allegations that the ropeway was not being maintained properly.

Rescue operations underway at Trikut Hills in Deoghar on Tuesday | PTI

Locals claimed there had been no substantial maintenance in the last three years. "Contract of Damodar Ropeways expired in 2019 and still it was being operated illegally," said Godda MP Nishikant Dubey. He also blamed the district administration and the tourism department.

Need an early solution to Naga issue: CM Rio

PRASANTA MAZUMDAR @ Guwahati

A high-level Nagaland government delegation, led by Chief Minister Neiphiu Rio, is currently camping in New Delhi to impress upon the Centre to resolve the protracted "Naga political issue" early.

The delegation, which comprises former chief minister TR Zeliang, Deputy Chief Minister Y Patton and ministers, would meet Union Home Minister Amit Shah, among others.

Rio told this newspaper on Tuesday that the "political issue" would be on the agenda, apart from other issues.

"People's demand is a solution to the issue. That's the reason why we are playing the role of a facilitator. The issue has remained unresolved for a long time. It is high time that it gets resolved. That is our wish," the four-time chief minister said.

Asked if the government can facilitate the peace process without being a party to it, he said, "We are an elected government and it is the people's issue. Therefore, we have to do all that we can to facilitate it. Let's hope for the best."

There are several extremist groups fighting for the Naga cause and the Nagas at large want a settlement that is inclusive.

The Centre holds parallel peace talks with insurgent outfit National Socialist Council of Nagalim (NSCN-IM) and several other rebel groups, which came together a few years ago under the banner of Naga National Political Groups (NNPGs).

The NSCN-IM's peace talks with the Centre started in 1997 after both sides had signed a ceasefire agreement.

8,70,000
people who fled abroad since the start of the war have returned to the country, Ukraine said

GLOBAL WEATHER
LR: Light Rain ● HR: Heavy Rain ● SW: Snow ● TDS: Thundershower ● LC: Light Cloud ● SNY: Sunny

Beijing	19	6	LC	Los Angeles	20	10	SNY
Colombo	29	25	TDS	Melbourne	21	11	LC
Dhaka	36	27	LC	Moscow	7	1	LC
Dubai	37	27	SNY	New York	18	14	LC
Houston	29	17	TDS	Singapore	30	26	TDS
Istanbul	15	6	LC	Toronto	12	8	TDS
London	19	8	LC	Washington	29	20	LC

PUTIN VOWS RUSSIA WILL PRESS UKRAINE INVASION TILL GOALS MET

Dismisses claims Moscow's army was struggling against Ukrainian resistance on the ground

MOSCOW

PRESIDENT Vladimir Putin said Tuesday Moscow will proceed according to plan with military operations in Ukraine as the prow-Western country braces for a major Russian offensive in the east.

"Our task is to fulfil and achieve all the goals set, minimising losses. And we will act rhythmically, calmly, according to the plan originally proposed by the General Staff," Putin said during a televised press conference.

Speaking to reporters following a meeting with Belarusian President Alexander Lukashenko at a cosmodrome in Russia's Far East, Putin dismissed claims Moscow's army was struggling against the Ukrainian resistance and was forced to withdraw from around major cities, including the capital Kyiv.

"Our actions in certain regions of Ukraine were just related to containing (enemy) forces, destroying military infrastructure, creating conditions for a more active operation in Donbas," Putin said referring to a region in eastern Ukraine, parts of which are controlled by pro-Russia separatists.

Putin also said the operation was not going to speed up, in order to minimise casualties.

"I often hear the question: is it possible to do it a bit faster? It is. This depends on the intensity of hostilities, but the intensity of hostilities is, unfortunately related to losses," he said. Russia has repeatedly denied targeting civilians, accusing Ukraine of using its population as a "human shield".

Asked about reports of the discovery of hundreds of dead bodies of civilians in the town of Bucha outside Kyiv after the withdrawal of Moscow's troops, Putin dismissed them as "fake".

He compared the accusations to those concerning the use of chemical weapons by the regime of Syrian President Bashar al-Assad. "It's the same kind of fake in Bucha," Putin said. He also said Ukraine's "inconsistency" during peace talks with Russia was slowing down the process.

"Yesterday evening, the Ukrainian side changed something again. Such inconsistency on fundamental points does create certain difficulties in reaching final agreements," Putin said. He added that until an agreement is reached, "the military operation will continue until the full completion of (its) tasks". *AFP*

A Russian soldier patrols a street of Mariupol on Tuesday | AFP

Six found shot dead in basement in Kyiv

Kyiv: Ukrainian prosecutors said six people had been found shot dead in the basement of a building outside Kyiv. The killings were carried out by Russian forces who took control of the area at the beginning of the invasion, the prosecutor general said, publishing an image of what it said was the scene of the discovery with several bodies in a dark, concrete hole.

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> Vladimir Putin, Russian president

Anger palpable over high inflation, scarcity of essential goods

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DILRUKSHI HANDUNNETTI
@Colombo

ON April 11, the unpopular regime put forward their most popular family member, Prime Minister Mahinda Rajapaksa, to make a special address. There were strong expectations that he would announce his resignation and call for a multi-party approach to overcome the current crisis. Instead, there was no admission of mistakes, remorse, an apology or an explanation.

He used full five minutes to caution the protestors against political elements responsible for previous bloodletting (a reference to the Marxist Janatha Vimukthi Peramuna) and to desist from insulting the armed forces, a reminder of the SLPP's populist rhetoric that had helped them secure power since 2005, except for the 2015 interlude.

Thushal Wasantha (26), a protestor camping at the Galle Face Green, Colombo's iconic seafront in front of the Presidential Secretariat, now dubbed the GotaGoHomeVillage, said the PM's script was old and no longer valid.

"They (Rajapaksas) have repeatedly won elections playing the nationalist card and repeatedly sold the LTTE's defeat to win elections. What they have done since 2005 is to divide us along ethno-religious lines and create a family company of sorts to run the country. People have been blinded by their rhetoric but no more."

In Colombo, hundreds of people camping out and chanting one slogan "Gota Go Home" and the protests are gathering momentum, with religious leaders, sports personalities and artistes lending support. While anti-Rajapaksa elements call it 'Sri Lanka's reawakening', the silence of the Rajapaksas does not denote absence of hurt. On Tuesday, a counter protest was organised by pro-Rajapaksa groups led by prominent campaigners and a wave of social media posts discrediting the protests.

A Buddhist monk writes on a placard as he takes part in an anti-government protest at the entrance of the president's office in Colombo on Tuesday | AFP

As people queue up to buy their fuel and turn away from retailers with disappointment due to essentials being in short supply, the average citizen appears angry about the high inflation, scarcity of essentials and the disruption to daily life. "They can feed their children as they have ill-gotten wealth. But we are finding it difficult to have a single meal a day," said Sumana Weerapperuma (43), a farmer from Horowpathana. The public anger is so sharp that it fails to take into account the multiple contributors to the island's economic collapse.

"This country was into heavy borrowing for years. Covid, increasing debt, high interest borrowing from China, reduction in remittances, all play a role in the downturn. But the Rajapaksas cannot ignore their complicity in what we are going through. They ruined the national economy, appointed political stooges to manage the economy and overlooked technocrats and since their ascension, we have only seen grand corruption and nepotism. This is the result of Rajapaksa misrule and corruption," said Pragathi Samaraweera (24), a university student reading for an economics degree. "Can you explain the opulence? Where was this wealth until the tsunami funds were misappropriated?" she added. At the Galle Face Green, protesters are calling for the resignation of President Gotabaya Rajapaksa in unison, but they also call for more.

They are calling for a united Sri Lanka where communities can co-exist, a complete change in the system, multiple audits on personal wealth and corruption probes against Rajapaksa family members and key Rajapaksa associates.

"The Rajapaksas took a leaf out of colonisers' book. They too practiced the divide and rule theory and rode to victory on a populist wave. They put Sinhalese against Muslims and Tamils, sewed mistrust among communities, taught us to suspect and fear each other and made this country unsafe for minorities, both ethnic and religious. Now we are asking all of them to go, to hand over the country back to us, the people. But the first demand is the exit of President Gotabaya Rajapaksa," said Anwar Munsoor (31), a young father of two, who stands at the sea front protest venue, his face wreathed in a smile.

"We are asking for the country we want, we can build, not what their political leaders want," he said.

April 14 is a special day for Sri Lanka's Sinhalese and Hindus. It marks the dawn of a new year. On Thursday, the protest venue will turn into a grand celebration of unity in diversity. "We will herald the Sri Lankan new year, with all communities present. And we will ask our president to go home and make it auspicious," said Andre Fernando (50).

(The author is a Colombo-based senior journalist and lawyer)

UK PM Johnson, FM Sunak fined over 'partygate' scandal

LONDON

UK Prime Minister Boris Johnson offered a "full apology" on Tuesday after being fined for breaching Covid lockdown laws in the so-called "Partygate" scandal, but looked set to defy calls for his resignation.

Embattled finance minister Rishi Sunak and Johnson's wife Carrie will also be fined, as the political storm following revelations of a swathe of lockdown-busting parties in and around Downing Street threatens to engulf Johnson once more. "Let me say immediately that I've paid the fine and I once again offer a full apology," Johnson said during televised remarks.

Johnson's office said his fine was for attending a surprise birthday gathering in his honour on the afternoon of June 19, 2020 in the Cabinet Room at Number 10.

The prime minister said the event lasted around 10 minutes, and denied that he had lied about not knowingly breaking the law, saying: "In all frankness at that time, it did not occur to me that this might have been a breach of the rules.

"But of course the police have found otherwise and I fully respect the outcome of their investigation," he added.

Rishi Sunak

The leader of the opposition Labour Party, Keir Starmer, swiftly called for the two most senior members of the government to resign. "Boris Johnson and Rishi Sunak have broken the law and repeatedly lied to the British public," Starmer tweeted.

"They must both resign. The Conservatives are totally unfit to govern. Britain deserves better."

However, Johnson said he now wanted "to get on and deliver the mandate that I have", and early signs were that his MPs were currently sticking with him.

Johnson was left fighting for his political survival earlier this year after several lawmakers from his ruling Conservative Party withdrew their support for his leadership over the affair.

An unknown number of Conservative MPs submitted letters calling for a no-confidence vote in Johnson's leadership.

If the Conservative Party's 1922 Committee receives such letters from 54 of Johnson's 360 MPs, it would spark a confidence vote. *AFP*

Police and emergency responders gather outside the subway station in Brooklyn on Tuesday | AFP

Suspect at large as Brooklyn subway shooting injures 16

BROOKLYN

A MAN in a gas mask shot 10 people on a packed New York subway train during the morning rush-hour on Tuesday, setting off a smoke bomb before opening fire on terrified passengers.

Police have launched a massive manhunt for the shooter, but said the incident in Brooklyn was not being investigated as an act of terrorism and that none of the injuries were considered life-threatening.

New York Police Department commissioner Keechant Sewell told a press conference the suspected gunman put on a gas mask just as the train was arriving at 36th Street station.

"He then opened the canister that was in his bag and then the car filled with smoke. After that he began shooting," Sewell said.

The city fire department said six other people were wounded as panicked passengers fled the smoke-filled train, which pulled up to the platform moments after the shooting.

Sewell described the suspect as a lone "male, Black, approximately five feet five inches tall with a heavy build," wearing a green construction type vest and a grey hooded sweatshirt.

Verified video footage posted on social media showed the train pulling into the 36th Street station, and smoke billowing out the doors as passengers rushed off, some apparently injured.

One of them, Yav Montano, recounted on CNN being inside the car when it began filling with smoke, and shots rang out. "In the moment, I did not think that it was a shooting because it sounded like fireworks," he said. "It just sounded like a bunch of scattered popping."

There were 40 to 50 passengers inside at the time and they began crowding towards the front, Montano said — but the door to the next car was locked.

"There were people in that other car that saw what was happening. And they tried to open the door, but they couldn't," he said.

CNN aired a brief video shot by Montano inside the car showing passengers crowded together, some wearing masks and others pressing clothing against their mouths to protect against the smoke. "There were some people whose clothes, whose pants were covered in blood," Montano said, adding that he could not tell who was injured. *AFP*

At least 45 dead in South Africa floods

DURBAN

AT LEAST 45 people have died in floods and mudslides after rainstorms struck the South African port city of Durban and surrounding KwaZulu-Natal province, the authorities said on Tuesday.

The country's meteorologists forecasted more "extreme" rains on the way Tuesday night accompanied by "widespread flooding".

"The latest reports indicate that over 45 people have lost their lives as a result of the heavy rains, this number could possibly increase as more reports come in," the province's Department of Cooperative Governance announced in a statement.

Days of pounding rain flooded several areas, tore houses apart and ravaged infrastructure across the southeastern city, while landslips caused train services across KwaZulu-Natal province to be suspended. *AFP*

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Date: April 13, 2022
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Tender Enquiry No.: QQ-1313/PO-C&S
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1CX150mm²	1091	322
4CX10mm²	40	36
4CX16mm²	41	66
4CX25mm²	489	266
4CX50mm²	689	273
4CX95mm²	1170	372
4CX150mm²	896	303
4CX300mm²	673	333
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BANGALORE DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY
T. Chowdaiah Road, Kumara Park West, Bengaluru- 560 020
No. BDA/RMP-2041/82/2021-22 Date: 12.04.2022
Notice Inviting Tender for selection of consultant for preparation of Revised Master Plan-2041 for Bangalore Local Planning Area - CALL-2
Bangalore Development Authority intends to prepare RMP-2041 for Bangalore Local Planning Area. Commissioner, Bangalore Development Authority invites tender for engaging services of reputed consultants for the above said work through e-Procurement process. Tender document containing details of eligibility criteria, scope of work and other terms and conditions & other details may be obtained from e-Procurement Portal, GoK. Last date for submission of tender at **http://www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in** is **11.05.2022 at 17.30 hours.** BDA reserves the right to reject any or all proposals without assigning any reason.
BDA/PRO/CLU/07/2022-23 **Sd/- Town Planner Member**

BANGALORE DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY
T. Chowdaiah Road, Kumara Park West, Bengaluru- 560 020
BDA/TPM/CLU-106/2020-21/CLU-131/2021-22/74 Date: 11.04.2022
PUBLIC NOTICE
(As per section 14-A of KTCP Act 1961)
Smt. T.Kamalamma Thota & A.R.Mangala have requested for change of land use from Agriculture to Commercial use as per section 14-A of KTCP Act 1961 in Sy No. 77/1, 77/4 & 77/5 for an extent of 7486.62 Sq. Mtr. (1 Acre-34 Guntas) of Sulikunte Village, Varthur Hobli, Bengaluru East Taluk, Bengaluru, which is earmarked as Agriculture use in RMP-2015. Applicant has said that already Commercial & Residential buildings have comes around the land in question, if the land is allowed for change of land use from Agriculture to Commercial use, it would facilitate generation of employment for local people and it would helpful for development of surrounding land.
Further, as required under Section 14-A of Karnataka Town and Country Planning Act, 1961 any person/persons affected by this proposal may file his/her/their objections if any, to the Town Planner Member, BDA, Bengaluru within 15 days from the date of publication of this notice. The objections received after the expiry of 15 days will not be considered.
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144.65 ▼	Nifty	17,530.30	Euro	82.77 ▲

Ola CEO takes break from daily ops

Says will focus on long-term strategies across Ola Electric and Ola businesses

ARSHAD KHAN @ New Delhi

OLA Founder and CEO Bhavish Aggarwal will shift his focus from day-to-day operations to building high-growth business and projects across Ola Electric and Ola businesses.

"I'll be spending more time with all engineering functions, team building, and on the product...I'll also be increasing my focus on our longer-term strategic projects including new 2W products, our car project, innovations in quick commerce, electrifying ride-hailing, our cell R&D and factory, international expansion, and building out our Pune tech centre and the Futurefoundry UK," said Aggarwal in an internal note. The Softbank-backed firm

has expanded Group CFO and CFO of Ola Electric GR Arun Kumar's role to help and support Aggarwal in day-to-day operations across the group.

Kumar had joined Ola in June last year and has over two decades of experience in finance and strategy, and has worked across various industrial sectors such as Vedanta Resources, GE and Hindustan Unilever. Aggarwal took to twitter to clarify that he is not retiring and that Kumar will help him in managing Ola's operations. To note, Ola had a significant number of high profile exits last year.

"Reads like I'm retiring! Not true. Arun (GR) is a great leader & he'll help me manage Ola's ops. We will accelerate ambitious new projects like our car, cell, gigafactory etc. & deepen focus on tech & engineering. More soon Doubling down on building the future here in India, at Ola!," Aggarwal tweeted.

Aggarwal's decision to focus on the larger picture comes at a time when Ola is in a firefighting mode to meet delivery commitments of its electric scooter and assure consumers about its safety. Ola's scooter catching fire last has emerged as a big setback for the company as well as India's e-2W industry, forcing the government to launch an independent investigation.

Among other things, the IPO-bound firm has plans to raise funds to fuel its aggressive expansion plans, which include its on-going effort to build the world's largest two-wheeler plant in Tamil Nadu. Aggarwal also has plans to foray into electric car space in near future.

The company recently made an investment in StoreDot, an Israeli battery technology company known for extreme fast charging (XFC) technology. The company is also giving a push to fintech business under Ola Financial.

ASIANOMICS

SRI LANKA

UNILATERALLY SUSPENDS EXTERNAL DEBT PAYMENTS

Sri Lanka's central bank said on Tuesday it had become "challenging and impossible" to repay external debt, as it tries to use its dwindling foreign exchange reserves to import essentials like fuel. The island nation's reserves have slumped more than two-thirds in the past two years, as tax cuts and the Covid-19 pandemic badly hurt its tourism-dependent economy and exposed the government's debt-fuelled spending. Street protests against shortages of fuel, power, food and medicine have gone on for more than a month. "We need to focus on essential imports and not have to worry about servicing external debt," Central Bank of Sri Lanka's governor, P. Nandalal Weerasinghe, told reporters. "It has come to a point that making debt payments are challenging and impossible." Weerasinghe said the suspension of payment would be until the country came to an agreement with creditors and with the support of a loan programme with the IMF. Sri Lanka starts formal talks with the global lender on Monday for emergency loans. The country has foreign debt payments of around $4 billion due this year, including a $1 billion international sovereign bond maturing in July. Two coupon payments are due on Monday.

KOREA

BOK TO PAUSE IN APRIL, RATES TO GO UP EVERY QUARTER

The Bank of Korea is likely to stand pat at its meeting this week as its committee awaits the appointment of a new governor, but it will embrace a steeper rate hike path ahead to tame more than decade-high inflation, a Reuters poll showed. While the U.S. Federal Reserve has now begun a tightening cycle and the European Central Bank is not expected to raise rates until later this year, South Korea's central bank has been quick to address high inflation and ballooning household debt. The BoK has raised its base rate by 75 basis points since August, taking it to 1.25%, making it the first major Asian central bank to normalize policy from pandemic-induced lows. Russia's invasion of Ukraine has exacerbated inflationary pressures. March inflation showed prices rose 4.1% from a year earlier, staying above the BoK's target of 2% for the 12th straight month and increasing the chances of another rate hike. South Korea's central bank senior deputy governor Lee Seung-heon said last week the April policy review meeting will be tricky, citing the twin challenges of dealing with higher inflationary risks and downward pressure on growth.

SINGAPORE

GDP GROWTH TO EASE IN Q1, MAS SET TO TIGHTEN

Singapore's economy likely expanded at a slower pace in the first quarter, but is expected to stay on its recovery path this year as border controls are relaxed further, giving the central bank room to tighten monetary policy to tackle inflation. Advance data shows gross domestic product (GDP) expanded 3.8% in January-March from a year ago, according to the median forecast of 15 economists in a Reuters poll, as the manufacturing sector comes off a high base and amid travel curbs to curb a Covid-19 outbreak driven by Omicron. Manufacturing remained the main growth engine, helped in part by demand for semiconductors, analysts said. The city-state's economy expanded 6.1% year-on-year in the fourth quarter of 2021. Singapore's recent easing of border controls and Covid-19 rules are expected to boost services from the second quarter, partly offsetting the negative impact of the Ukraine-Russia war, supply disruptions and rising energy prices, Maybank economists Chua Hak Bin and Lee Ju Ye said. The trade-reliant economy grew 7.6% last year, the fastest pace in a decade, recovering from a 4.1% contraction in 2020. The government had projected GDP growth of 3-5% in 2022, though this was before Russia began what it calls "a special military operation" in Ukraine on February, 24.

CBI arrests close aide of Nirav Modi in Cairo

RAM SAHGAL @ Mumbai

A special CBI court remanded a close aide of fugitive diamantaire Nirav Modi to 14 days' police custody after he was brought back from Cairo and produced before it by the central investigative agency on Tuesday.

The accused, Subhash Parab, had worked as a deputy GM, finance, at Firestar International Pvt Ltd from April 2015 to January 2018 and fled the country shortly before the scam surfaced in 2018, the agency said.

"In order to unearth the larger conspiracy and ascertain the identity/roles of other co-accused, end use of the huge amounts of public funds diverted by Sh. Nirav Modi and others who are on the run and some of them are yet to be identified, the sustained custodial interrogation of Sh. Subhash Parab is inevitable," the CBI said in its remand application.

Parab allegedly prepared fraudulent applications for the issue of letters of undertaking (LoUs) -- guarantees -- in conspiracy with a former PNB official in favour of overseas parties who supplied rough diamonds to Nirav Modi's firms. It was later found that these parties were fronts of Modi's firms.

These LoUs were issued by former PNB banker Gokulnath Shetty without collecting any collateral from Nirav Modi or Mehul Choksi firms. The traces of the issuance were eliminated as PNB's core banking solution back then was not integrated with the global messaging system SWIFT, used by banks to communicate with each other.

The evergreening caused the scam to balloon, with Nirav Modi alone causing an estimated loss of Rs 6,498 crore to PNB, while his uncle Mehul Choksi defrauded the bank of over Rs 7000 crore.

TODAY'S STOCK PICK

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SBI

Asset quality has been resilient in the recent past, boosted by improved underwriting and significant mobilisation in customer engagement by the recovery team. SBIN has one of the best liability franchises (CASA mix: ~46% as on 3QFY22). Moreover, low cost of deposits would continue to support margins, to a large extent. Subsidiaries – SBI MF, SBI Life Insurance, SBI Cards, and SBI Cap – have exhibited robust performances in the last few years, which could result in value unlocking. We estimate FY24E RoA/RoE of 0.9%/16.0%, respectively.

—Motilal Oswal Securities Limited

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TCS' new structure to double down on customer intimacy

UMA KANNAN @ Bengaluru

IT major Tata Consultancy Services (TCS) has rolled out a new operating structure to double down on its customer intimacy.

"The engagement with our customers is very strongly curated to the stage of their journey with us, and so we are able to appropriately position TCS across the full spectrum of customer engagement journey," Rajesh Gopinathan, Chief Executive Officer and Managing Director of TCS said during the post earnings press conference.

It is also making additional investment on talent.

The company has won the highest-ever order book- $11.3 billion in the fourth quarter, and it posted a 7% increase in its net profit at ₹9,926 crore in the fourth quarter of FY22. Its growth was mainly led by North America, which grew 18.7% and among emerging markets, Latin America grew 20.6%.

Gopinathan said, "Life Sciences and healthcare (19.2%) has been one of our most steady and fast-growing sectors."

The company employs around 5,000 people in eastern Europe.

Since migration is taking place there, N Ganapathy Subramaniam, Chief Operating Officer and Executive Director of TCS said, "They're all looking for jobs. One of the things that we can do and be meaningful to the communities there is to see whether there are opportunities that we can bring in and increase our local hirings and create jobs locally in that part of the world."

The IT firm said that it is confident of the 25X25 model. This model will require no more than 25% of associates to work from an office at any given point in time, and they need not spend more than 25% of their time in the office.

At present, 95% of the company's workforce are working from home, it is hopeful of seeing 20% of its workforce back to office soon. It has over 5,90,000 employees.

FLEXIBLE JOBS

70% WOMEN QUIT OR MULL QUITTING IN 2022

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

A LinkedIn research shows that India's working women are quitting or considering quitting their jobs, which do not provide them flexibility, in 2022.

The LinkedIn survey on Tuesday revealed that following the impact of the Covid-19 pandemic, 8 in 10 (83%) of working women have realised they want to work more flexibly. The survey finds that 72% of working women are rejecting job roles that don't allow them to work flexibly, while 70% have already quit or considered quitting their jobs because they weren't offered the right flexible policies.

The research, which is based on 2,266 respondents in India, says working women are paying heavy penalties to work flexibly. "9 in 10 (88%) working women had to take a pay cut to work flexibly, 2 in 5 (37%) had their flexible working request denied, and 1 in 4 (27%) struggled to convince their bosses to accept their request," it says.

This, according to the research, has made women reluctant towards asking for greater flexibility because they fear exclusion.

Ruchee Anand, Senior Director, India Talent & Learning Solutions, LinkedIn notes Flexible working is the No. 1 priority today for all professionals, especially for working women.

"This is a warning sign for companies and recruiters to remove the stigma surrounding the need for flexibility and career breaks, and introduce stronger flexibility policies if they don't want to lose top talent," says Anand.

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Industrial production grows at 1.7% in February

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

THE index for industrial production (IIP), which measures industrial activities in the country, rose 1.7% in February 2022 against 1.5% in January, as per the National Statistical Office (NSO) data.

In February 2021, the IIP had registered a decline of 3.2%.

The mild rise in industrial production in February was led by mining and electricity, both of which registered a growth of 4.5% each during the month. Manufacturing, however, continues to be a laggard with a growth of 0.8%.

In terms of use-based categories, consumer durables and consumer non- durables saw contraction of 8.2% and 5.5%, respectively, largely due to high inflation and moderating rural demand. However, the contraction in these categories was offset by a sharp 9.4% jump in infrastructure and construction goods.

The cumulative growth in April-February stood at 12.5%. It is to be noted that there was a contraction of 11.1% in the same period of last year.

Overall, in the manufacturing sector for eleven months a growth of 12.9% was recorded as against the contraction of 12.5% in the same period of previous year, as per the data.

When it comes to analyzing the ongoing economic recovery, growth in IIP continues to paint a dismal picture, says Dr. Sunil Kumar Sinha, Principal Economist, India Ratings and Research. He says successive monthly data of industrial output is making it abundantly clear that consumption demand will need policy makers attention.

Core inflation at 6.4%, up from 5.8% in February

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ACCORDING to the latest data, the prices of most commodity groups touched multi-month highs — cereals and products (19 months), milk and products (16 months), vegetable (16 months), clothing (100 months), footwear (111 months), household goods and services (102 months), personal care (13 months) and food index (16 months).

Core inflation, or non-food non-fuel inflation, was at 6.4% in March compared to 5.8% in February.

Core inflation is likely to see a broad-based rise as producers pass on cost pressures across segments, says rating agency Crisil. The poor are bearing the burden of inflation the most, given that food recorded the sharpest rise, Crisil adds.

Meanwhile, rural inflation showed a higher jump of 7.7% than urban inflation (6.12%).

RBI in its recent monetary policy had said that its primary focus would be to contain inflation. The central bank has also revised the 2022-23 inflation estimates to 5.7% from its earlier forecast of 4.5%.

EXPRESS READ

Debenture trustee norms amended

New Delhi: Capital markets regulator Sebi has amended norms related to security cover, disclosure of credit ratings and due diligence certificate for unsecured debt securities. Sebi has revised rules pertaining to debenture trustee norms, apart from issue and listing of non-convertible securities norms and LODR (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) rules, according to notifications.

Tata Realty and CPPIB forms equity JV

New Delhi: Tata Realty and Infrastructure Limited (TRIL) and Canada Pension Plan Investment Board (CPPIB) have entered into a joint venture to develop and own commercial office space across India. The joint venture's total equity worth will be ₹5,300 crore in which CPPIB is investing ₹2,600 crore to acquire a 49% stake in TRIL's two premium commercial office projects.

Meesho lays off 150 employees

Bengaluru: Internet commerce platform Meesho has laid off 150 employees from its grocery division Superstore. A spokesperson from Meesho confirmed the lay off and said this is aimed at bringing efficiency. "The company is offering severance packages and outplacement assistance to help those impacted secure new opportunities outside the company," the spokesperson said.

SPECTRUM AUCTION

Telecom body COAI wants 90% cut in 5G spectrum pricing

RAKESH KUMAR @ New Delhi

TELECOM industry has expressed its disappointment at Trai's recommendations on 5G spectrum pricing. The Cellular Operator Association of India (COAI), which represents all the three telecom operators -- Reliance Jio, Vodafone Idea and Bharti Airtel -- said the Trai has only recommended 35-40% cut in spectrum prices as against their demand of 90% lower rates.

The association called these recommendations one step backwards than forward towards building a Digitally-Connected India.

"Throughout the consultation process, industry had presented extensive arguments based on global research and benchmarks, for significant reduction in spectrum prices. Industry recommended 90% lower price, and to see only about 35-40% reduction recommended in prices, therefore is deeply disappointing," said COAI in a statement.

Telecom Regulatory Authority of India (TRAI) on 11 April 2022 released recommendations on Auction of 5G spectrum, in which it recommended to cut the base price of the coveted 700 MHz band by 40% and 3300-3670 MHz band by 36%.

Charu Paliwal, Research Analyst at Counterpoint Research opined that the amount of reduction is still not enough to bring some relief to debt-ridden telecom industry.

"Spectrum prices in India are very high compared to global benchmarks. On the contrary, Indian telecom operators still offer some of the cheapest mobile tariff plans in the world," he said.

"Despite the hike in late 2021. Considering financial stress of the operators, their inability to raise tariffs due to fierce competition, plus the 5G ecosystem is yet to adequately develop, keeping high base price will impact the ability of operators to fully participate in the upcoming auctions," said Paliwal.

TRAI cuts base price of 700 MHz band by 40%

Telecom Regulatory Authority of India (TRAI) on 11 April 2022 released recommendations on Auction of 5G spectrum, in which it recommended to cut the base price of the coveted 700 MHz band by 40% and 3300-3670 MHz band by 36%

RBI's balance-sheet registers 8.3% growth in FY22

SUNITHA NATTI

THE RBI's balance-sheet increased by ₹4.7 lakh crore in FY22, registering a growth of 8.3% over FY21.

The percentage increase appears lower than the trendline growth of 13-14% prior to the pandemic period, but FY22 data isn't strictly comparable as the central bank presented a truncated balance-sheet (adopting a April-March cycle) for nine months in FY21. Given the prevailing global conditions, anyalsts do not expect a significant increase in the central bank's assets and liabilities even this fiscal.

Based on RBI's assets and liabilities data published weekly, in absolute terms, the central bank's balance-sheet grew from ₹56.70 lakh crore as on April 1, 2021, to ₹61.40 lakh crore as on April 1, 2022. Weekly data is broadly considered accurate, though the final figures will be presented in the annual report, which will be released in May.

As a percentage of GDP, RBI's total assets stood at 26.45%, down from 29% in FY21. Analysts say the central bank' balance-sheet is undergoing a correction following an unprecedented expansion during the pandemic year FY20 when assets and liabilities grew by a record ₹12 lakh crore. In FY21, the accounts presented for nine months showed a modest expansion of ₹3.7 lakh

crore, but thanks to expenditure contraction and significant reduction towards provision for contingency fund, RBI managed to transfer a staggering ₹99,122 crore surplus to the central government last year.

"During the pandemic period, RBI has mopped up bonds and increased its forex reserves. Though with the Covid restrictions easing and to fight against volatility in rupee during the recent Russia-Ukraine crisis, we have seen reserves dwindling. Now that the US Federal Reserve has embarked on the rate hike path, we may see the balance sheet to stop growing and settle a little lower in the current fiscal," Amit Kumar Gupta, Founder & CIO, FinTrekk Capital told Express.

Like last year, this year too RBI continued its aggressive mopping up of forex currency assets. As on April 1, they stood at ₹41.1 lakh crore, or 67% of RBI's total assets, down from about 69% a year ago. But this was expected given that RBI has begun withdrawing the accommodation.

Djoko ousted in first round of Monte Carlo Masters

Serb Novak Djokovic, playing only his second tournament and fourth match of the year, lost to Alejandro Davidovich Fokina in the first round of the Monte Carlo Masters. The World No 1, who has missed most of the events as he remains unvaccinated against Covid-19, lost 3-6, 7-6 (5), 1-6.

FINALLY, CHENNAI ARE SUPER KINGS

After fifties from Uthappa & Dube, spinners power CSK to their first win of the season

ASHIM SUNAM @ Bengaluru

EVER since Ravindra Jadeja took over the reins of Chennai Super Kings after MS Dhoni quit captaincy, it has been a story of struggle. Four losses out of four — one does not normally associate such a winless streak with the men in yellow. On the contrary, Royal Challengers Bangalore were on a three-match winning streak under new skipper Faf Du Plessis as they faced CSK at DY Patil Stadium in Mumbai on Tuesday.

The problem for Chennai has been their failure in all departments. Hence, there was a desperate need for Jadeja's men to bring their A-game. Even the confidence level between the two teams were in contrast early during the contest. If Bangalore looked aggressive, Chennai were quite circumspect. It is the mindset, which stemmed from their recent results. It was quite evident that they were in need of something magical to lift the team. And who better to provide that than two former RCB players Robin Uthappa and Shivam Dube. They were involved in a 165-run partnership, as the right-hander hit a 50-ball 88 while Dube smashed 95 from just 46 balls, powering their team to a mammoth 216/4, which is quite extraordinary considering they were 35/1 during the powerplay.

Dube's innings did not come as a big surprise with the tall batter having impressed earlier in the competition. The left-hander, who walked in at number four, felt the need to do something different, and he did so attacking the bowlers, an element which was missing from the earlier batters, especially in the first six overs.

One could sense a shift in momentum, and Dube was central to it. With the southpaw having a good reputation of hitting sixes against the spinners in domestic cricket, his eyes lit up during the middle-overs when Glenn Maxwell and Shahbaz Ahmed were rolling their arm over. He used his long levers to up the run rate, dealing in sixes. Even the in-form Wanindu Hasaranga was not spared with the leg-spinner being hit for a six and four in his first over.

The confidence rubbed off on Uthappa. He changed gears after getting his eye in. He hit Maxwell for three sixes in 13th over. At this point, with the duo on full swing, it was clear that Bangalore missed Harshal Patel, who left the IPL bubble due to a family bereavement. The pacer was an integral element for Bangalore in containing batters in the middle overs and at the death while he took regular wickets.

Du Plessis also drew a helpless look with balls flying into the crowd with utter consistency as Uthappa brought up his fifty in 33 balls. Few balls later, Dube completed his half century too. Though Uthappa perished, Dube had his ton in sight with the batter on 80 with six balls left. He finished unbeaten on 95.

In reply, Bangalore fought hard in the middle-overs after being reduced to 50 for four early on, but fell short in the end by 23 runs.

Brief scores: CSK 216/4 in 20 ovs (Dube 95 n.o, Uthappa 88) beat RCB 193/9 in 20 ovs (Shahbaz 41, Karthik 34, Theekshana 4/33, Jadeja 3/39).

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TODAY'S MATCH

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Shooting, wrestling fail to make first cut for 2026 Commonwealth Games

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Chennai

BOTH shooting and wrestling do not feature in the original list of 16 sports that will feature at the 2026 Commonwealth Games in Melbourne. Apart from mandatory events like athletics and swimming, the country that's hosting the Games has the option of deciding the list of sports. From an Indian perspective, this is big because they have traditionally won big in both these disciplines. In 2018, India won 11 gold (28 medals) combined in these events. The corresponding numbers in 2014 and 2010 were nine (30) and 24 (49) respectively.

"There will be a phased approach in creating the sports programme for Victoria 2026," a press release from the Commonwealth Games Federation read. "An initial 16 sports have been put forward for the Games, with further sports to be added later this year." Cricket will feature for a second-edition running (women's T20 is a part of the programme at Birmingham later this year) but archery — another sport that Indians are good at the Commonwealth level — isn't part of the programme.

THE 16 DISCIPLINES

Aquatics, Athletics, Badminton, Boxing, Beach volleyball, Cricket T20, Cycling, Gymnastics, Hockey, Lawn Bowls, Netball, Rugby Sevens, Squash, Table tennis, Triathlon, Weightlifting.

Significantly, the 2026 edition will be the first regional Commonwealth with competition held at multiple venues spread across the state of Victoria. "In what will be a first ever predominantly regional Commonwealth Games, Victoria 2026 will be staged in March 2026 across multiple cities and regional hubs including Melbourne, Geelong, Bendigo, Ballarat and Gippsland," the release stated. "The Opening Ceremony will take place at the iconic Melbourne Cricket Ground. The approach will showcase the best of what the State has to offer and ensure a uniquely Victorian experience for everyone."

HOCKEY JUNIOR WORLD CUP

India women lose in shootout to finish 4th

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Chennai

THE junior women's hockey team was three minutes away from winning a bronze medal but eventually lost the shoot-out to finish fourth at the World Cup in Potchefstroom, South Africa on Tuesday.

Forward Mumtaz Khan, who caught the eye with her off the ball movement as well as finishing skills equalised once before putting India in front but England, after missing two penalty corners in the final quarter, levelled via Claudia Swann in the 57th minute.

06 No of field goals scored by Mumtaz, the 2nd highest

SHOOTOUT

INDIA	ENGLAND
Salima Tete ✗	Maddie Axford ✓
Sangita Kumari ✗	Claudia Swann ✓
Sharmila Devi ✗	Katie Curtis ✓

In the subsequent shootout, India, hoping to win a bronze for only the second time in this competition (after the batch of 2013), failed to sound the board even once. England, for their part, had no problems in scoring past Bichu Kharibam to win 3-0. India will rue the missed conversions as they had the better overall numbers in all aspects (penalty corners, circle penetrations and shots on goal).

Bichu, who had an outstanding tournament, made an uncharacteristic error to allow England to take the lead in the 17th minute before Mumtaz's smart stick work three minutes later restored parity. A minute into the fourth quarter, she found the roof of the net from close range but a last-ditch England attack took the match to penalties where they made India pay.

Final: Netherlands 3-1 Germany

EXPRESS READ

Saina to skip selection trials for CWG, Asiad

NEW DELHI: Saina Nehwal's chances of defending her title at the Commonwealth Games looks bleak as she has decided to skip the selection trials for the Commonwealth Games in Birmingham and the Hangzhou Asian Games. The selection trials are scheduled here from April 15 to 20. The 32-year-old has informed the Badminton Association of India (BAI) about her decision.

CK Nayudu Trophy: K'taka all out for 204

BENGALURU: Karnataka were dismissed for a paltry 204 runs in their CK Nayudu Trophy match against Mumbai in Motera on Tuesday. Karnataka's Shubhang Hegde scored an unbeaten 45 while Sharath BR and Vyshak V scored 45 and 44 runs in the first innings. SZ Mulani scalped five for Mumbai, who were 88/2 at stumps on Day 1 with Divyaansh not out on 45.

Unavailability of tickets may spoil Bajrang's plan

FIROZ MIRZA @ Chennai

GIVEN his long absence from international competitions — Tokyo Olympics was his last event outside India — ace Indian wrestler Bajrang Punia (65kg) wants to reach Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia a few days in advance for the Asian Championships starting April 19. Ravi Dahiya (57kg) and Deepak Punia (86kg) also plan to do the same.

However, unavailability of tickets mean their plan for acclimatisation prior to the event might not succeed. The Wrestling Federation of India (WFI) though is making efforts to make sure the trio board the flight along with the Greco-Roman wrestlers to reach the venue on April 17.

The unavailability of tickets has made the federation to include only five Greco-Roman wrestlers along with three referees and a coach in the first batch scheduled to leave on April 16. The remaining five GR wrestlers along with women grapplers will fly out of the country two days later. The event will begin with competitions in GR followed by women and freestyle wrestling bouts.

"The freestyle team including the trio is scheduled to leave on April 20. But Bajrang wants to reach the venue early. We are still working on other options and if we manage to find a solution, the trio can leave on April 16," a WFI source told this daily. Ravi won the gold while Bajrang and Deepak finished with a silver each in the last edition.

Full story: newindianexpress.com

Reds, City in pole position

Both Manchester City and Liverpool have one foot in the semifinal of the Champions League but need to ensure against complacency in their respective second leg outings on Wednesday. A look at the two games...

ATLETICO VS MANCHESTER CITY

FIRST-LEG: MAN CITY 1-0 ATLETICO

The La Liga giants made it a tough first leg but City still found the combination to unlock their defence. For City, **Kevin de Bruyne**, who scored in the first leg, is back to his best. Atletico, who had no shots and 29 per cent possession in Manchester, will have to show more ambition and that could leave them exposed.

LIVERPOOL VS BENFICA

FIRST-LEG: BENFICA 1-3 LIVERPOOL

The Reds are in front of this tie they might well try to freshen up their squad a bit before the FA Cup semifinal. At Anfield, Liverpool could well win with a similar margin. It's hard to see how Benfica could resurrect this tie. One point of interest is that Darwin Nunez has continued his goal-scoring exploits for the Portuguese side.

12.30 AM: LIVE ON SONY SPORTS NETWORKS

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No: PCB/81/SEO/MINES/EPH/2022-23/288 Date: 12-04-2022

ENVIRONMENTAL PUBLIC HEARING NOTIFICATION

M/s. Hutti Gold Mines Co. Ltd., has proposed to undertake Quarrying of Sand Mining in Balageri Ordinary Sand Block (BLG-02) of capacity 37,587 TPA over an area of 20.00 Acres at Sy.No. 9, 20, 21, 23, 24, 30, 31, 34, 37, 39, 40, 43, 44 & 87, Balageri Village, KukkanurTaluk, Koppal District. The project has to obtain Environmental Clearance from SEIAA, Government of Karnataka, as per the EIA Notification dated 14.09.2006 (as amended on 01.12.2009), and is required to go through Environmental Public Hearing. As per the SEIAA, Government of Karnataka, Terms of Reference letter (ToR) No. SEIAA 335 MIN 2021 dated: 13.10.2021 and request of the project proponent letter received at Board office dated 07.01.2022, the Environmental Public Hearing is being conducted by the Board.

The details of the project are as follows:

1. Name of the Company & Address: Dr. S N Solankar, I/c Manager (Exploration), M/s Hutti Gold Mines Co. Ltd., Hutti, Raichur, Karntaka -584115.

2. Proposed location of Mine: Sy.No. 9, 20, 21, 23, 24, 30, 31, 34, 37, 39, 40, 43, 44 & 87, Balageri Village, KukanurTaluk, Koppal District.

3. Details of proposed activity: Quarrying of Sand Mining of capacity 37,587 TPA.

4. Pollution Control Measures: Chemical Toilet will be provided for the disposal of domestic waste water generated from quarry office. Rainwater collected during the rainy season in the mine will be used for dust suppression and plantation. Regular sprinkling of water on haul and access roads. Regular maintenance of all equipment to minimize particulate matter and gaseous emissions from diesel engines. Plantation of thick greenbelt is provided around lease area boundary and it acts as a barrier to restrict fugitive emissions.

5. Date, time and venue of public hearing: 13.05.2022 (Friday) at 3:00 PM at the proposed project area of Sy.No. 9, 20, 21, 23, 24, 30, 31, 34, 37, 39, 40, 43, 44 & 87, Balageri Village, KukkanurTaluk, Koppal District.

6. Places of availability of project documents as per EIA Notification, which is kept open to public are: (a) Office of the Deputy Commissioner, Koppal District,Koppal. (b) Chief Executive Officer, ZillaPanchayat, Koppal. (c) District Industries Centre, Koppal. (d) Taluk Panchayath, Kukkanur. (e) Village Panchayath Office, Balageri. (f) Regional Office, Karnataka State Pollution Control Board, Koppal. (g) SEIAA, Karnataka (Ecology and Environment), Department of Forest, Ecology and Environment, Government of Karnataka, Room No. 706, 7th Floor, 4th Gate, MS Building, Bengaluru – 560 001. (h) **HELP DESK**, Karnataka State Pollution Control Board, Ground Floor, No.49, Parisara Bhavan, Church Street, Bengaluru – 560 001.

NOTE: Suggestions, views, comments and objections of interested bonafide residents, environmental groups and others located at project site and likely to be affected by the proposed project are invited within 30 days from the date of publication of this Notification. They can also make oral/written/E-Mail suggestions to the Karnataka State Pollution Control Board/Chairman, Environmental Public Hearing Committee (Deputy Commissioner, Koppal District, Koppal). Interested public can participate in the Public Hearing at the above place. **For details please visit our Website: kspcb.karnataka.gov.in.**

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NOTICE INVITING E-TENDER

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Invitation For Short term Tenders (IFT) KW. 3
e-TENDER NOTIFICATION

On behalf of Government of Karnataka tenders are invited in Two cover system for Class-3 & above Contractors registered in PWD for 02 work under 5054- SCP Head of account in the jurisidiction of Tumkur Division through e-procurement. The dates are published as below. (Min Amount Put to Tender Rs.86.43 Lakhs, Max Amount Put to Tender Rs.86.86 Lakhs, Min EMD Amt Rs.1,72,900/-, Max EMD Amt Rs.1,73,800/-)

1. Last date for tender information queries: **18.04.2022** : 16.00 2. Last date for submission of tender: **20.04.2022 : 16.00** 3. Date of opening the Technical bid: **21.04.2022** : 16.30 4. Date of opening the Financial bid : **22.04.2022** : 16.30. **Note:** Turnover Certificate without UDI Number will not be considered.

Sd/- EXECUTIVE ENGINEER,
PWD DIVISION, TUMKUR.

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No.CBICTITL/CFO/E-Auction-01/004/2022-23 Date: 12.04.2022

PAPER PUBLICATION

This is to inform that CBIC - Tumakuru Industrial Township Ltd (CBIC-TITL), intends to invest its Surplus Funds in the short term deposits with Nationalized Bank. The details of the quantum of amount and period to be kept in short term deposits are as under:

Sl. No	Public Sector Banks.	RRB's Banks	Private Sector Banks	Days
1.	**Rs.250.00 Crores**	**Rs.50.00 Crores**	**Rs.130.00 Crores**	**For 6 Months (181 days) in Nationalized Banks.**
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The complete details of the E-Auction can be downloaded from the e-portal of the Government of Karnataka at the below address: **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in**

Schedule of Various Events For e-Auction is as below:

(1) Date of E-Auction can be Downloaded: **13.04.2022. (2)** Last Date to upload the Declaration in Annexure-B in the e-portal: **25.04.2022 on or before 15.00 Hrs. (3)** Date and time of opening: **26.04.2022 after 15.30 Hrs. (4)** Live Bidding: **28.04.2022 Commences at 11.00 Hrs. & Concludes at 13.00 Hrs. on**

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CORRIGENDUM OF BRIEF TENDER NOTIFICATION (Through e-procurement portal)

Regarding the Tender Notice advertisement released in Vijayavani and Indian Express Newspapers on 29.03.2022 "For Repairs and Reconditioning of 11KV class single coil/multi coil Conventional (Aluminium wound) and 3,4,5 Star Rated failed Distribution Transformers of various Capacities from 25 to 500 KVA in BMAZ North and South Zones and 25 to 100 KVA in BRAZ and CTAZ jurisdictions and Conversion of CSP to Conventional bolt & nut type on lumpsum percentage (%) Rate Contract basis (Material, Labour & Salvage) at Transformer repair center at Taluk/Divisions of BESCOM jurisdiction", due to Administration reason the following changes are made:

Sl. No.	Enquiry No & date	Repair Centres @ Taluk / Division	Existing Category	Amended Category
1	BESCOM/CGM(OP)/DGM(Op-1)/21-22/52/28.03.22	Chandapura	SC	NE-G
2	BESCOM/CGM(OP)/DGM(Op-1)/21-22/53/28.03.22	Nelamangala	NE-G	Cancelled
3	BESCOM/CGM(OP)/DGM(Op-1)/21-22/72/28.03.22	Nittur	NE-SC	Cancelled
4	BESCOM/CGM(OP)/DGM(Op-1)/21-22/74/28.03.22	Gulur	NE-G	Cancelled
5	BESCOM/CGM(OP)/DGM(Op-1)/21-22/77/28.03.22	Nonavinakere	NE-G	Cancelled
6	BESCOM/CGM(OP)/DGM(Op-1)/21-22/79/28.03.22	Huliyar	NE-SC	NE-G
7	BESCOM/CGM(OP)/DGM(Op-1)/21-22/87/28.03.22	Channagiri	SC	NE-SC
8	BESCOM/CGM(OP)/DGM(Op-1)/21-22/94/28.03.22	Chitradurga CSD	NE-ST	NE-SC
9	BESCOM/CGM(OP)/DGM(Op-1)/21-22/99/28.03.22	Molakalmuru	ST	NE-ST

Note: NE-G: New Entrant General, NE-SC: New Entrant SC Category, SC: Scheduled Caste Category ST- Scheduled Tribe, NE-ST – New Entrant Scheduled Tribe.

All other remaining enquiries details notified on 29.03.2022 remains un-altered. The Bid submission time has been extended to all the enquiries from 16.04.2022 to 22.04.2022, 15:00 Hrs and Technical bid will be opened on 25.04.2022, 16:00 Hrs onwards.

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2. ತಾಂತ್ರಿಕ ಬಿಡ್ ತೆರೆಯುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ: 29–04–2022ರ 11.00 ಗಂಟೆಗೆ.
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Auction Place/Branch Office At : NO.13, CRN CHAMBERS, 4th Floor, Kasturba Road, Bengaluru -560001, India.

Appendix-IV-A
[Refer proviso to rule 8(6)]

Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrowers that the below described immovable properties ("Immovable Properties") mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the physical possession of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of IndoStar Capital Finance Limited (Secured Creditor/ IndoStar Capital Finance Ltd), will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" for recovery of due and payable to the Secured Creditor in addition to Interest , costsand chargesat contractual rate to the Secured Creditor.

S. No.	Flie No	Name of the Borrower	13(2) Notice Demand Notice Amount & Date	Reserve Price (RP)	EMD (10% of RP) and Last date	Borrower(s)	Address	Co Borrower(s)	Address
1.	LSBGL00417-180001248	Mr. N RANGANATHA	₹ 1,56,44,958/- & 05.01.2021	₹ 1,78,98,660/-	₹ 17,89,866/-	Mr. N RANGANATHA	NO 100/ 5, RAMAGONDANAHALLI, VARTHUR MAIN ROAD, WHITEFIELD POST, BANGALORE URBAN DISTRICT	Mrs. KOMALA C	NO 100/ 5, RAMAGONDANAHALLI, VARTHUR MAIN ROAD, WHITEFIELD POST, BANGALORE URBAN DISTRICT
2.	LSBGL03419-200003479/ LSBGL13920-210004267	Mr. M RAMA RAO	₹ 50,26,665/- & 26.08.2021	₹ 40,02,750/-	₹ 4,00,275/-	Mr. M RAMA RAO	RESIDING AT No. 3208, 6th C MAIN, 13th CROSS, HAL 2nd STAGE, INDIRANAGAR, BENGALURU – 560038	Mrs. MALE CHENNAMMA	RESIDING AT No. 3208, 6th C MAIN, 13th CROSS, HAL 2nd STAGE, INDIRANAGAR, BENGALURU – 560038
3.	LSBGL00116-170000887	Mr. MALLESH R	₹ 38,15,152/- & 11.01.2022	₹ 61,58,372/-	₹ 6,15,837/-	Mr. MALLESH R	NO 168, NAGARABHAVI MAIN ROAD, MADHURA NAGARA, NEAR MONICA NURSING HOME, BENGALURU-560072	Mrs. CHAITRA	NO 168, NAGARABHAVI MAIN ROAD, MADHURA NAGARA, NEAR MONICA NURSING HOME, BENGALURU-560072
4.	LSBGL02918-190002839 / LSBGL13920-210004768	Mrs. S BHAVANA	₹ 2,30,08,971/- & 21.12.2021	₹ 2,56,78,750/-	₹ 25,67,875/-	Mrs. S BHAVANA	NO. 207, 2ND H CROSS, KAMMANAHALLI MAIN ROAD, BANGALORE NORTH, ST THOMAS TOWN, BENGALURU - 560084	Mrs. SANTOSH KUMAR G	NO. 207, 2ND H CROSS, KAMMANAHALLI MAIN ROAD, BANGALORE NORTH, ST THOMAS TOWN, BENGALURU - 560084
5.	LSBGL00115-160000342/ LSBGL00115-160000355	M/S.CEICO CONSULTING PVT LTD.	₹1,48,52,009/- & 11.01.2022	₹ 4,04,71,661/-	₹ 40,47,166/-	Mr. GERALD CORREYA	#178, RSR COLONY, NEAR GOVERNMENT SCHOOL, NEAR KAVERI BAKERY, IMMADAHALLI ROAD, WHITEFIELD P.O, BANGALORE – 560066	Mrs. Mini Thomas	# 6-111, 3rd CROSS, HENNUR ROAD, LINGARAJPURAM, BANGALORE-560084
6.	LSBGL05117-180001556	Mr. B P SINGH	₹1,49,01,932/- & 19.12.2020	₹ 1,15,60,119/-	₹ 11,56,012/-	Mr. B P SINGH	NO 14/15, DEFENCE RESIDENCY, KATTIGENAHALLI, BAGALUR MAIN ROAD, YELAHANKA POST, BANGALORE URBAN DISTRICT- 560064	Mrs. RENU SINGH	NO 14/15, DEFENCE RESIDENCY, KATTIGENAHALLI, BAGALUR MAIN ROAD, YELAHANKA POST, BANGALORE URBAN DISTRICT- 560064

Short description of the Immovable Properties with known encumbrance and certain terms of the sale:-

S. No.	Loan Account No.	Name of the Borrower/Co Borrower (s)	Demand Notice Amount & Date	Reserve Price (RP)	EMD (10% of RP) and Last date	Inspection Date & Time	Date of Auction & Time	Known Encumbrances, if any,	Details of the Immovable Properties
1.	LSBGL00417-180001248	Mr. N RANGANATHA	₹ 1,56,44,958/- & 05.01.2021	₹ Property -1 ₹ 45,60,600/- Property – 2 ₹ 43,16,860/- Property-3 ₹ 45,60,600/- Property-4 ₹ 44,60,600/-	₹ Property -1 ₹ 4,56,060/- Property – 2 ₹ 4,31,686/-. Property-3 ₹ 4,56,060/- Property-4 ₹ 4,46,060/- & 12.05.2022	25.04.2022 between 10.00 AM and 5.00.PM	13.05.2022 by 5.00pm	Nil	All the piece and parcel of immovable property bearing Flat No – 109 North Facing measuring 1180Sq.ft, along with 413 Sq.ft of UDS, Flat No – 320 measuring 1110 Sq.ft, along with 389 Sq.ft of UDS, Flat NO – 307 North Facing measuring 1180 Sq.ft along with 413 Sq.ft of UDS, Flat No – 007 North GF:1180 Sq.ft along with of 413 Sq.ftof UDS in the property Sy. No. 10/2 measuring 1 acre 4 guntas, situated at khayamgutta Ramagondanahalli R Narayanapura K.R PuramHobli Bangalore presently within the limits of BBPIP and bounded on : East by : Doppanahalli Shamanna & Chilka Gudevatappa Land, West by : Road, North by : Land in the same number Belongs to M.R.Anjan, South by : Remaining land in some Sy.Number
2.	LSBGL03419-20000347 9/ LSBGL13920-210004267	Mr. M RAMA RAO	₹ 50,26,665/- & 26.08.2021	₹ 40,02,750/-	₹ 4,00,275/- & 12.05.2022	25.04.2022 between 10.00 AM and 5.00.PM	13.05.2022 by 5.00pm	Nil	All that piece and parcel of property bearing Flat No. 101, Sai Sudha Karana Sree Residency, Karanasree Layout, Medahalli Flyover, Medahalli, Bidarahalli, Bengaluru – 560049 admeasuring 1221 sqft & 1 car parking space in the basement & undivided share of property measuring 293 sq ft.
3.	LSBGL00116-170000887	Mr. MALLESH R	₹ 38,15,152/- & 11.01.2022	₹ 61,58,372/-	₹ 6,15,837/- & 12.05.2022	25.04.2022 between 10.00 AM and 5.00.PM	13.05.2022 by 5.00pm	Nil	All that piece and parcel of that property bearing Site No.35, Assessment No.3/8, Situated at Mallathahalli Village, YashwanthapuraHolbi, Bangalore North Taluk, Presently comes under the limits of BBMP and bounded on: East by : Site.No.36, West by : 30ft., Wide Road, North by : Property belongs to S.Renukamma and Nanjappa, South by : 25 ft., Road, Measuring East to West : 40ft., and North to South: 30ft., in total 1200sqft.
4.	LSBGL02918-190002839/ LSBGL13920-210004768	Mrs. S BHAVANA	₹ 2,30,08,971/- & 21.12.2021	Property 1- ₹ 92,00,000/- Property 2- ₹ 67,58,750/- Property 3- ₹ 97,20,000/-	₹ Property 1- ₹ 9,20,000/- Property 2- ₹ 6,75,875/- Property 3- ₹ 9,72,000/- & 12.05.2022	25.04.2022 between 10.00 AM and 5.00.PM	13.05.2022 by 5.00pm	Nil	Property No.1: All that piece and parcel of Flat No. B-201, on B Block, on Second Floor, having 1940sqf t SBA along with 647.96Sq ft along with one covered car parking in Stilt/ Basemant Floor in building known as "VAISHNAVI MANDARA" in Municipal No.46 PID No. 11-59-46, Industrial Suburb, 3rd cross, 2nd Stage Yeshawanthapura, Land use from Industrial to non agricultural residential purpose vide order bearing No. ULC/279/2012-13/941/2013-14, BMP Ward No.11 Bangalore-560022 (land measuring East to West: 132 Feet and North to South: 330 Feet) Presently within the limits of BBMP, and bounded On:- East by : Property No.47, West by : Property No. 45, North by : 3rd Cross Road, South by : Property No. 51. Property No. 2: All that piece and parcel of Flat N.B-204, on B Block, on Second Floor, having 1415 Sqft SBA along with 472.61Sq ft along with one covered car parking in Stilt/ Basement Floor in building known as "VAISHNAVI MANDARA" in Municipal No.46 PID No.11-59-46, Industrial Suburb, 3rd cross, 2nd Stage Yeshawanthapura, Land use from Industrial to non agricultural residential purpose vide order bearing No. ULC/279/2012-13/941/2013-14, BMP Ward No.11 Bangalore-560022 (land measuring East to West: 132 Feet and North to South: 330 Feet) Presently within the limits of BBMP, and bounded On East by: Property No.47, West by : Property No.45, North by : 3rd Cross Road, South by : Property No.51. Property No.3: All that piece and parcel of immovable residential property bearing Flat No.B-101 on B Block, on First Floor, having 1940sqft., along with 647.96sqft., of undivided share in building known as "VAISHNAVI MANDARA" in Municipal No. 46 PID No.11-59-46, Industrial Suburb, 3rd cross, 2nd Stage Yeshawanthapura, Land use from Industrial to non agricultural residential purpose vide order bearing No. ULC/279/2012-13/941/2013-14, BMP Ward No.11 Bangalore-560022 (land measuring East to West: 132 Feet and North to South: 330 Feet) Presently within the limits of BBMP and bounded On:- East by : Property No.47, West by : Property No. 45, North by : 3rd Cross Road, South by : Property No. 51.
5.	LSBGL00115-160000342/ LSBGL00115-160000355	M/S.CEICO CONSULTING PVT LTD.	₹ 1,48,52,009/- & 11.01.2022	₹ 4,04,71,661/-	₹ 40,47,166/- & 12.05.2022	25.04.2022 between 10.00 AM and 5.00.PM	13.05.2022 by 5.00pm	Nil	All the piece and parcel of Land, Garden bearing survey no – 25/2, measuring 0.10 Ten guntas out of 1 acre 33 guntas, plus 2 guntaskharab, situated at Hagadur village, Krishnarajapuramhobli, Bangalore south taluk and bounded on. East by : 14 ft left for road purpose upto this land. West by : Remaining property of vendors. North by : Vendors retained property. South by : Retained property of vendor.
6.	LSBGL05117-180001556	Mr. B P SINGH	₹ 1,49,01,932/- & 19.12.2020	₹ 1,15,60,119/-	₹ 11,56,011/- & 12.05.2022	25.04.2022 between 10.00 AM and 5.00.PM	13.05.2022 by 5.00pm	Nil	All that piece and parcel of the Residential Immovable Property bearing site no 14, in survey no 40/4, situated at Geddalahalli village, Kasabahobli, Bangalore North taluk, Bangalore. Present municipal katha no 14, PID no 99-142-14, 3rd cross, Ashwathnagar, Bangalore Mahanagara Palike ward no 99, And together with consisting of 3 sq Acc sheet house with Red oxide flooring, Jungle wood doors and windows, with water and power supply connection. Measuring East to West: 42 ft and North to South: 34 ft. Totally measuring 1428 sqft, bounded on the: East by : Private property. West by Road. North by : Site no 13. South by : Road then private property.

TERMS & CONDITIONS OF PUBLIC AUCTION:-

1. Sale is strictly subject to the terms and conditions mentioned hereunder as also the terms and conditions mentioned in the offer/tender document to be submitted by the intending bidders.
2. The Immovable Propertieswill be sold on "AS IS WHERE IS, AS IS WHAT IS and WHATEVER THERE IS BASIS" including known encumbrances, if any. The Immovable Propertiesunder auction can be inspected on the date and time specified herein 25.04.2022 between 10.00 AM and 5.00 PM. Further, queries or clarification with respect to bid application form, submission of earnest money deposit (EMD), kindly contact Authorised Officer of Indostar Capital Finance Ltd (contact details mentioned in clause (4). The Auction can be conducted at branch level as well, in case; there would be any technical glitch or error in conducting auction.
3. We have also engaged local marketing Agency/service providers for doing marketing or searching the prospective bidders/purchasers which will also assist us in conclusion of auction process as per the provision of SARFAESI Act.
4. The tenderers/ offerers/ prospective bidders/ purchasers should submit their offer along with earnest money deposit (EMD) as referred in column (E) by way of demand draft or pay order favoring Indostar Capital Finance Ltd payable at Bengaluru Branch in sealed envelope mentioning "Offer for purchase of the Immovable Properties/Property" so as to reach with our authorized officer/person Mr. B P Raghunandan, Mobile - 9341228767 on or before the last date for submission of bids i.e. 12.05.2022 before 5.00 p.m. The amount of EMD paid by the successful bidder shall be adjusted towards the sale price.
5. Offers that are not duly filled up or offers not accompanied by the EMD or offers received after the above date and time prescribed herein will not be considered / treated as valid offers, and accordingly shall be rejected. The EMD shall not carry any interest.
6. Along with offer document, the intending bidder shall also attach a copy of the PAN card issued by the Income Tax department (or Form 60) and his/ her identity proof and the proof of residence such as copy of the Aadhar card, Pan card, Passport, Election Commission Card, Ration Card, Driving license etc.
7. The Immovable Propertiesshall be sold to the highest bidder/offerer, subject to acceptance of the bid by the secured creditor/auction sale committee of Indostar Capital Finance Ltd. The online/ inter-se bidding for above Immovable Properties will take place on schedule date and time as mentioned above schedule in column "G" and on the website of our Indostar Capital Finance Ltd. However, the undersigned has the discretion to accept or reject any offer / tender without assigning reason.
8. All dues and outgoings, i.e., municipal taxes, maintenance / society charges, electricity and water taxes or any other dues including all overdue in respect of the said Immovable Propertiesshall be paid by the successful bidder(s)/purchaser.
9. The successful bidder/purchaser shall have to pay 25% of the sale amount (inclusive of EMD) immediately upon acceptance of the offer by the Authorized Officer in respect of the sale, failing which, the EMD will be forfeited.
10. The Balance 75% of the Sale price shall have to be paid within 15 days of conveying the confirmation of the sale to the successful Purchaser by the Authorized Officer or such extended period as agreed upon in writing by and solely at the discretion of the secured creditor as per Rule-9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rule 2002. In the event of the Default, in payment of the balance 75% of the sale price or any part thereof within the prescribed period, the amount deposited shall be Forfeited and the Secured Creditor will be at liberty to sell the Immovable Propertiesonce again and the defaulting Purchaser shall forfeit all claims to the Immovable Propertiesor to any part of the sum already paid towards the purchase thereof.
11. The Immovable Properties described herein above shall remain and be at the sole risk of the successful purchaser in all respects including loss or damage by fire or theft or other accidents, and other risk from the date of the confirmation of the Sale by the undersigned Authorized Officer. The successful bidder shall not be entitled to annul the sale on any ground of whatsoever nature.
12. In case final bid amount/sale consideration of assets is Rs. 50.00 lakhs or above, the successful bidder shall deduct and remit TDS @1% of bid amount from the sale consideration by giving PAN number of borrower as deducted which can be obtained from authorized officer/bank after completion of bidding and remaining 99% of sale consideration shall be payable to bank within stipulated time. Hence, the highest successful bidder is bound to deposit TDS @ 1% on purchase of repossessed asset on the PAN of the borrower as per Section (194-IA) of the Income Tax Act 1961.
13. In such cases sale consideration of asset under auction is Rs. 50.00 lakh or above the successful bidder/purchaser, on payment of entire sale consideration as above (net of TDS) and on completion of sale formalities, shall be issued a sale certificate for the Immovable Properties as per format prescribed under SARFAESI Act & Rules 2002 only upon receipt of Challan-cum-statement in form No. 26QB having remitted the TDS. The certificate for TDS in form 16B to be submitted to the bank subsequently.
14. It shall solely be the responsibility of the successful bidder to get the sale certificate registered. All expenses relating to stamp duty, registration charges, transfer charges and any other expenses and charges in respect of the registration of the sale certificate issued in format prescribed under the SARFAESI Act & Rules 2002 for the above referred Immovable Propertiesshall be borne by the successful bidder/purchaser. The sale certificate has to be registered at the earliest as per state Law/Rules regarding transfer else the purchaser has to give the request letter to the secured creditor mentioning the reason of delaying the registration.
15. The Authorized officer is not bound to accept the highest offer or any or all offers and Indostar Capital Finance Ltd., as secured creditor, reserves its right to reject any or all bid(s) without assigning any reasons. In case, the bids are rejected, Authorized officer can negotiate with any of the tendered or intending bidders or other parties for sale of the Immovable Propertiesby private treaty. Sale is subject to confirmation by the Secured Creditor/Auction sale committee of Indostar Capital Finance Ltd and as per amended Security Interest (Enforcement) Rule 2002.
16. No persons other than the intending bidders/offerer themselves, or their duly Authorized representative shall be allowed to participate in the auction / sale proceedings. However, the sale certificate shall be registered in favor of purchaser only in whose name bid application form has been submitted.
17. The Authorized officer reserves his right to vary any of the terms and condition of this notice for sale, without prior notice, at his discretion & can also avail the services of marketing Agent or service Provider in selling the said repossessed mortgaged Immovable Propertiesagainst their professional fee which will recovered from the borrower.
18. In case, all the dues together with all cost, charges and expenses incurred by the Secured Creditor are tendered by the above name borrower/co-borrower till one working day prior to the date of Auction then the Immovable Propertieswill not be sold and all the bids received from the prospective bidders shall be returned to them without any liability / claim against Indostar Capital Finance Ltd.
19. This publication is also a notice of 30 days to borrowers/mortgagor(s) of the assistance about holding of sale on above mentioned date if dues are not re-paid in full.
20. Tendered documents may be collected from local branch of Indostar Capital Finance Ltd. For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in Secured Creditor's website i.e. www.Indostarcapital.com.
21. The borrowers/mortgagor are also hereby informed that they must take delivery of their personal house-hold belongings/articles lying inside the said mortgaged properties under the custody of Indostar Capital Finance Ltd, if any within 15 days from the date of publication, with prior intimation to Indostar Capital Finance Ltd failing which the Indostar Capital Finance Ltd shall have no liability/responsibility to the same and will dispose of at the risk of borrowers/ mortgagor.
22. Special Instruction: Bidding in the last movement should be avoided in the bidders own interest as neither the Indostar Capital Finance Ltd will be responsible for any lapse/failure in order to ward of such contingent situations bidders are requested to make all necessary arrangement/alternatives back-up etc., so that they are able to circumvent such situation and are able to participate in the auction successfully. The auction sale will automatically get closed at the expiry time frame of auction sale as mentioned in column no - G. The Authorised Officer can exercise its discretion to extend the auction sale by 15 minutes.

Date – 12.04.2022
Place – Bengaluru

Sd/-
Authorized Officer
For Indostar Capital Finance Ltd.

IN THE COURT OF THE HON'BLE XXV ADDL. CHIEF METROPOLITAN MAGISTRATE AT BANGALORE

Crl. Mis. No. 1596 / 2022

Between : 1. KUMAR .T.G, S/o. Guruswamy, Aged about 41 years, **2. KRISHNAPPA,** S/o. Guruswamy, Aged about 51 years, **3. NAGARAJA,** S/o. Guruswamy, Aged about 49 years, **4. RAMU,** S/o. Guruswamy, Aged about 39 years. ...PETITIONERS

And: The Commissioner of BBMP, Registrar of Births & Deaths, Bangalore. ...RESPONDENT

PAPER PUBLICATION

Whereas, the petitioners have filed the above petition U/s. 13(3) of the Registrar of Birth and Death acts seeking direction to the Commissioner of BBMP at Bangalore to register the date of death of the deceased by name **NANJAMMA W/o. GURUSWAMY who was died on 19.05.2012 at No.40, 3rd E Cross, Sanjeevininagar, 3rd Stage, Hegganahalli Cross, Bangalore North, Bangalore-560 091.**

If any person having objection in the matter may appear before the Hon'ble XXV ACMM Court at Bangalore, either personally or through an advocate duly instructed at **11.00 a.m. on 22.04.2022** to Which date the case is posted for hearing.

Given under my hand and the seal of the court on this 08.04.2022.

By Order of the Court, Shirastedar,
XXV ACMM Court, Bangalore.

Advocate for Petitioner : **G. VENKATESH,** Advocate

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No. CUK/NT/EN/2020 Dated: 24th March, 2022

EMPLOYMENT NOTIFICATION (Non-Teaching)

Online applications are invited from the eligible Indian nationals for filling up the various vacant non-teaching posts (Group A, B and C) on regular and deputation basis.

The notification containing full particulars such as Number of Posts, Notification No., Category, Essential Qualifications, Experience, Pay, Details of submission of Online Application etc. are available at the University website: **www.cukerala.ac.in**. The last date for receipt of Online Application is **18th May, 2022, 5.00 PM.**

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RELIANCE HOME FINANCE LIMITED

Branch Office: Reliance Home Finance Limited, NO 39,FFK TOWER, 30TH CROSS,TILAK NAGAR, JAYANAGAR, BANGALORE 5600413.
Corporate & Registered Office:- Reliance Home Finance Limited, Ruby Tower,11th Floor,North West Wing,Plot No.29,J.K.Sawant Marg,Dadar,Mumbai-400028,

DEMAND NOTICE

Whereas the borrowers/co-borrowers/guarantors/mortgagors mentioned hereunder had availed the financial assistance from Reliance Home Finance Ltd. We state that despite having availed the financial assistance, the borrowers/guarantors/mortgagors have committed various defaults in repayment of interest and principal amounts as per due dates. The account has been classified as Non Performing Asset on the respective dates mentioned hereunder, in the books of RHF in accordance with the directives relating to asset classification issued by the National Housing Bank, consequent to the Authorized Officer of Reliance Home Finance Ltd. under Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 & in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued Demand Notices on respective dates mentioned herein below under Section 13(2) of SARFAESI Act, 2002 calling upon the following borrowers /guarantors /mortgagors to repay the amount mentioned in the notices together with further interest at the contractual rate on the amount mentioned in the notices and incidental expenses, cost, charges etc until the date of payment within 60 days from the date of receipt of notices.

The notices issued to them on their last known addresses have returned un-served and as such they are hereby informed by way of public notice about the same.

1. Name of the Borrower / Address : **1. SIBA PRASAD SAHOO,** Having Address At :- No 814 Doddanekkundi, Badavane, Bangalore, Karnataka Zip:560037.
Co-Borrower And Guarantor Name: 1. RASMITA SAHOO, Having Address At :- Spikerwindows , No 8 Shop No 1, Ramakrishna Reddy Bldg , 7th Cross Chinnappanahalli Marathalli , Bangalore , Karnataka Zip:560037 **2. SPIKER WINDOWS,** Having Address At:- Flat No. B-305,3rd Floor, Svs Palms-1,Doddanakundi Village Krpura Hobli Bbmp K No.3040,Sy No.83/5 Bangalore-€,Bangalore-560037

NPA DATE	DATE OF DEMAND NOTICE	OUTSTANDING AMOUNT	LOAN AMOUNT
06.04.2022	11.04.2022	RS. 34,60,160/-	RS.40,00,000/-

Property Address Of Secured Assets: - All The Piece And Parcel Of The Residential Property Situated At Flat No. B-305, 3rd Floor, Svs Palms-1 Doddanakundi Village, Kr Pura Hobli Bbmp K No.3040,Sy No.83/5, Bangalore-(E) Bangalore

In the circumstances as aforesaid, the notice is hereby given to the above borrowers, co-borrowers and/ or their guarantors (where ever applicable) to pay the outstanding dues as mentioned above along with future interest and applicable charges within 60 days from the date of the publication of this notice failing which further steps will be taken after the expiry of 60 days of the date of this notice against the secured assets including taking possession of the secured assets of the borrowers and the mortgagors under Section 13(4) of Securitization and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act. 2002 and the applicable rules there under.

Please note that under Section 13 (13) of the said Act, no Borrower shall, transfer by way of sale, lease or otherwise any of his secured assets referred to in the notice, without prior written consent of the secured creditor.

Dated: 11.04.2022 **Sd/- Authorized Officer**
Place: BANGALORE **Reliance Home Finance Ltd.**

IDFC FIRST Bank Limited

(erstwhile Capital First Limited, amalgamated with IDFC Bank Limited and presently known as IDFC First Bank Limited)
CIN : L65110TN2014PLC097792
Registered Office: - KRM Towers, 8th Floor, Harrington Road, Chetpet, Chennai-600031.
Tel : +91 44 4564 4000 | Fax: +91 44 4564 4022

Notice under Section 13 (2) of the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002

The following borrowers and co-borrowers availed the below mentioned secured loans from **IDFC FIRST Bank Limited (erstwhile Capital First Limited, amalgamated with IDFC Bank Limited and presently known as IDFC First Bank Limited)** The loans of the below-mentioned borrowers and co-borrowers have been secured by the mortgage of their respective properties. As they have failed to adhere to the terms and conditions of the respective loan agreements and had become irregular, their loan were classified as NPA as per the RBI guidelines. Amounts due by them to **IDFC FIRST Bank Limited (erstwhile Capital First Limited, amalgamated with IDFC Bank Limited and presently known as IDFC First Bank Limited)** are mentioned as per respective notices issued more particularly described in the following table and further interest on the said amounts shall also be applicable and the same will be charged as per contractual rate with effect from their respective dates.

Sr No.	Loan Account No.	Type of Loan	Name of borrowers and co-borrowers	Section 13 (2) Notice Date	Outstanding amount as per Section 13 (2) Notice	Property Address
1	388242 & 388243	Home Loan	1. George Viencent 2. B. Mary	30.03.2022	INR 6,80,672.52/-	**All That Piece And Parcel Of** Site Bearing No. 21, Khatha No. 9/4/21, Property No. 9/4, Situated At Ward No. 29, Raghuram Reddy Layout, Doddanekkundi Village, (between Bus Stand And Railway Track) K.R. Puram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Formerly Bangalore South Taluk, Coming Within The Purview Of CMC Mahadevapuram, Measuring East To West: 28+40/2 Feet And Northo To South: 21+40/2 Feet In All Total Area Of 1037 Sq. Ft., And **Bounded As: East :** 15 Feet Road **West :** Site No. 14, **North :** Southern Railway Property **South :** Site No. 20

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Sd/-
Authorized Officer
IDFC First Bank Limited
(erstwhile Capital First Limited, amalgamated with IDFC Bank Limited and presently known as IDFC First Bank Limited)

Date : 13.04.2022
Place : Bangalore

ALTUM CREDO HOME FINANCE PVT. LTD

Registered / Branch Office: CTS No.1074,1, Plot No.426/1, Gokhale Road, Model Colony, Shivajinagar, Pune, Maharashtra - 411016

POSSESSION NOTICE (for Immovable Property)

The undersigned being the authorized officer of **Altum Credo Home Finance Pvt Ltd, (ACHFL),** Under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 **("SARFAESI Act, 2002")** and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 ("Enforcement Rules"). Demand Notice(s) issued by the Authorized Officer of the company to the Borrower(s)/ Co-Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) (collectively referred to as the "Borrowers") mention herein below to repay the amount mentioned in the notice within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice. The borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to Borrowers and the public in general that the under signed has taken symbolic possession of the property described herein below in supersize of powers conferred upon him under Sub-section(4)of Section 13 of the said act read with Rule 8 of the Security Interest Enforcement rules, 2002. The borrower's attention is invited to prevision of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in receipt of time available, to redeem the secured assets. The borrowers in particular and the public in general are hereby caution not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of ACHFL for an amount mention herein under with the interest thereon.

Name of the Borrower(s)/ Guarantor(s) and Loan Account Number	Description of Secured Assets (Immovable Property)	Date of Demand Notice and Amount	Date of Possession
MRS.NEELAMMA NA (Borrower), **MR. RAJU B.K.** (Co-Borrower) and **MR.SIDDARAJU S.** (Co-Borrower) **1172020100030**	All that Piece and Parcel of the property i.e property bearing No. 318/1, Khaneshumari Property No. 152900203101120015, situated at Bommanahalli, Village Bommanahalli Dhakle, Sathnuru Hobli, Kanakapura Taluk, Ramanagara District, the property is coming under Acchalu Village panchayat, measuring East to West 12.19 meter and North to South 9.14 meter	23/11/2021 / Rs.10,72,262/- (Rs.Ten lakhs Seventy Two Thousand Two Hundred and Sixty Two only)	11-04-2022
MR.MANJUNATHESHWRA M N (Borrower) and **Mrs.SUMITHRAMMA M S** (Co- Borrower) **1172020100076**	All that Piece and Parcel of the property bearing Resident Site No.167, CMC Katha/Assessment No. 3101/17 , measuring East to West 40 Feet and North to South 30 Feet totally measuring 1200 sq. ft situated at Divine City, 7th Ward, 6th Division , Chickballapur City	17/11/2021 / Rs.12,98,502/- (Rs.Twelve Lakhs Ninety Eight Thousand Five Hundred & Two only)	12-04-2022
MRS.PUSHPAVATHI B (Borrower) **MRS.LAKSHMI K** (Co- Borrower) and **MR.NAGARAJA B** **1172020600016**	All that Piece and Parcel of the property i.e.Site No. 532/3, Khatha No. 525, Katha SI. No. 632, Situated at Thavarekere Village & Hobli, Bengaluru measuring East to West: 39 Feet and North to South : 30 Feet in all measuring 1170 sq. ft	23/11/2021/ Rs.9,23,638/- (Rs. Nine Lakhs Twenty Three Thousand Six Hundred and Thirty Eight only)	11-04-2022
MR.D.T.V.N. PRASAD (Borrower) and **MR.D.S.V CHANDRANAG** (Co- Borrower) **1312020100013**	All that Piece and Parcel of property i.e. Site No. 4, Old V.P. Katha No. 48, New Katha No. 26/26/4 measuring 40x30 totally measuring 1200 sq.ft,situated at Nellukunte Village,Jala Hobli and Bangalore North Talukand	26/11/2021/ Rs. 13,42,715/- (Rs. Thirteen Lakhs Forty Two Thousand Seven Hundred and Fifteen only)	12-04-2022
MRS. INDRAMMA W/o MANCHAIAH and **MR. MANCHAIAH** S/o LATE HOONAIAH **1182020100037**	All that Piece and Parcel property ID No.15210070030080608, 9/11A, Site NO. 22/B2, Situated at Belawadi Village, Naguvnahalli Grama Panchayat, The Property coming Under the limits of Srirangapatana Taluk, Mandya District, Karnataka-571438. Measuring East to West 4.572 mtr and North to South 7.312 mtrs, in all measuring 33.45 Sq.mts.	20/01/2022/ Rs. 2,86,977/- (Rs. Two Lakhs Eighty Six Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventy Seven only)	12-04-2022

STATUTORY NOTICE TO BORROWERS/ CO-BORROWERS AND GUARANTORS

Borrower(s)/ Co-Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) are hereby put to caution that the property may be sold at any time hereinafter by way of public auction/tenders and as such this may also be treated as a notice under Rule 6,8 & 9 of Security (interest) Enforcement Rules,2002.

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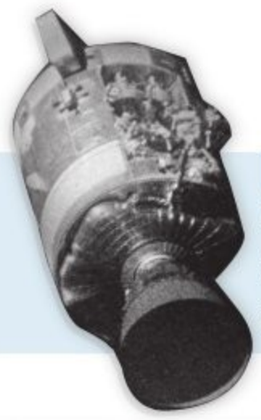

DAY'S DIARY

Explosion on Apollo 13

An oxygen tank exploded on Apollo 13 on April 13, 1970. The emergency prompted Jack Swigert's famous quote "Houston, we've had a problem"

EN ROUTE TO MOON

The US spaceflight, launched on April 11, 1970, suffered the explosion en route to the Moon, threatening the lives of three astronauts — Jim Lovell, Fred Haise and Jack Swigert

NO LANDING

Apollo 13 was supposed to land in the Fra Mauro area. The explosion forced it to circle the moon without landing. The site was reassigned to Apollo 14

SAVING THE ASTRONAUTS

The astronauts moved into Aquarius, which served as a lifeboat, while the disabled Apollo 13 swung around the Moon and headed homeward

Nireeksha Rao to star in Sunflower

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Bengaluru runners are lacing up for the much-anticipated Boston Marathon on April 18, ahead of which they run *CE* through their training and preparations

COURSE OF ACTION

Dilip Kumar

SANATH PRASAD

WHEN the clock strikes 3:30am, B J Vikram, a resident of Hanumanthnagar drives down to Kanteerava Stadium and runs for two hours around the 10-km marathon circuit. He has been waiting to participate in one of the most anticipated world majors, the Boston Marathon since 2017. And it appears that he has finally made his breakthrough this year.

The 126th edition of the Boston Marathon edition will be held on April 18 with runners from across the world hitting the course. With the pandemic playing spoilsport and travel bans reducing scope of participation, runners from Bengaluru are set to attempt their personal best at the annual marathon this time.

Vikram, who is a national-level skater, has qualified for four marathons in Delhi, Mumbai and Bengaluru since 2019. Although the pandemic dashed all his hopes, he went on to participate in virtual marathons when travel restrictions were imposed. "I have qualified four times in major marathons but could not make it to Boston due to Covid-19. So this year is a dream come true. Irrespective of the weather conditions, I am going to give it my best. I run 85-90 km a week for two hours early in the morning. For the past few weeks I have been consuming beetroot juice which ensures oxygen supply and gives endurance," says the 34-year-old.

For someone who claims to be a 'working runner', the Boston Marathon could be an uphill task. But that is not stopping Dilip Kumar (39), an entrepreneur, from participating. "I am anxious about the event because I'm not a pro. Moreover, the climatic conditions in Boston are harsh and unpredictable. The inclines might be a difficult pursuit in Boston, but I am practising to my fullest potential with the limited resources I have," says Kumar.

Sayed Atif, who was supposed to participate in the 2020 Boston Marathon which did not happen thanks to the pandemic. After a two-year wait, the excitement in his voice is palpable. "For an amateur runner, the Boston Marathon is equal to the Olympics. Qualifying and participating in the event in itself is very rewarding. To acclimatise myself to the Boston terrain, I am running at the foothills of Nandi Hills which is preparing me for the incline," says Atif.

Although some qualified for the Boston Marathon, they refrained from participating due to the uncertain health crisis. Anubhav Karmakar, who was supposed to participate in his second event, refrained from doing so, due to the insufficient training due to the pandemic. Similarly, Shruthi Jain, a yoga teacher, who qualified for the Berlin Marathon last year, clocking three hours and 27 minutes, says, "When the registration for the Boston Marathon started, we were just entering the Omicron stage. The uncertainty about the health crisis was at its peak during the registration process and that is when I decided to pull back," says Jain, who hopes to participate in the future editions.

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> – Sayed Atif, participant

Sayed Atif

B J Vikram

KNOW YOUR CITY

Arun Prasad, city-based history researcher, unravels interesting facts about Bengaluru in this weekly quiz series. So it's time for you to find out how familiar you are with the city, beyond its heritage buildings, IT parks and the pub culture.

THE QUIZ WILL BE PUBLISHED EVERY WEDNESDAY

Send answers to **bengalurucityexpress@gmail.com** with the subject line **'Know Your City Quiz'**

Correct answers and names of first three respondents with right answers will be featured in *CE* on Thursday.

1. Kempegowda I is credited with the building of the Bull Temple in Basavanagudi in the 16th century. The temple houses a majestic Nandi (bull) of about 10 feet in height and 15-feet in length. An inscription at the pedestal denotes that a river originates from the feet of Nandi and flows westward. Name the river.
2. River Arkavathi, once a primary source of water to the city and to many villages around Bengaluru, has its origin in a historic hill on the outskirts towards the north or Bengaluru. Name the hill.
3. Kumudavathi is a minor river that originates from a hill located about 50 kilometers north west of Bengaluru. The river basin dried up a few decades ago and an ambitious project for its rejuvenation has been made and successfully implemented which was funded by Hindustan Aeronautics Limited (HAL). Name the historic hill where the river originated.

INSIDE
Read the extract from *The Dalit Truth* by K Raju

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Steering ahead

FICCI FLO B'luru chapter's new chairperson Jayshree Menon speaks about her plan of action as she takes charge for the year

SANATH PRASAD

IT was in 2015 that Jayshree Menon joined the Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FICCI) Federation of Ladies Organisation (FLO) Bengaluru Chapter, to network with business leaders and gain access to a series of workshops. In the course of seven years, she worked up the ladder, now taking charge as the chairperson of FLO Bengaluru.

> *We have seen a lot of women entrepreneurs sprout during the pandemic. Now that they are earning, I want them to learn financial management and make financial decisions*
> Jayshree Menon, chairperson, FICCI FLO Bengaluru

Menon hopes that the road ahead as chairperson is filled with 'gratification' and 'optimism'. With Covid-19 receding, Menon is now tasked with multiple activities and workshops to keep the FLO members engaged. "Things are opening up after two years and it is really exciting for me to set the ball rolling. The optimism remains that we will have more speakers and industry experts from the business and finance field and have physical interactions with members after subdued virtual engagements," says Menon, adding that the road ahead also comes with a lot of challenges. "The challenge is to get sponsors for our events because people are now careful about spending after the pandemic. Since travel spaces have also opened, we really have to see if the members can participate actively in workshops," says Menon, who is also planning to collaborate with special schools and help differently-abled students in sports, fitness and skill set.

Despite the challenges, Menon has got down to business after assuming responsibility on April 1. Menon's primary vision is to accelerate financial literacy workshops among women. "We have seen a lot of women entrepreneurs sprout during the pandemic. Now that they are earning, they really need to have a plan on what to do with the money. I want them to learn financial management and see how well they can make financial decisions," says Menon. Besides, this year will also see different verticals like professional services, marketing, travel and gourmet, art and culture, that aims to help empower women and become more self-reliant. "I know women are capable a lot more than they think they are. These workshops are to enhance their ideas and instill the belief to achieve their goals," says Menon, who also runs a multimedia solutions company called Print Brew.

It's a hectic year ahead but Menon looks forward to what's in store. "The journey, so far with FLO Bengaluru, has been filled with a lot of takeaways which is something that I hope will continue through the year," says Menon.

Though I'm just one of the many musicians involved, it's thrilling to be part of a Grammy award-winning work
Shashank Akella, musician

This guitarist, who was part of two-time Grammy award-winning musician Ricky Kej's album, shares his experience of working on an album that is being recognised world-wide

Winning notes

Stewart Copeland and Ricky Kej

ANILA KURIAN

IT was a good win for Bengaluru-based Ricky Kej at the Grammy Awards this year but behind the success were several others too. One such is Shashank Akella, a guitarist who was part of *Divine Tides*, the album which Kej won the award for.

Akella, who has been a musician for the last 18 years, has worked with Kej over the last two years as the head of media. The pandemic hit just when he returned to India after completing his Masters in Music Business from the University of Leads. With work leads being slim, he was called to be part of Kej's team. Since then, he has been actively involved in working on music videos, editing, post production, graphics and album artworks, among others.

Working on the album *Divine Tides* was a different experience altogether. Akella was part of the songs *Our Home* and *A Prayer* from the album. "Kej told me that he's planning to work on the album with legendary musician Stewart Copeland. He had a game plan in mind. There was a lot of back and forth since a lot of work was done online. Though I'm just one of the many musicians involved, it's thrilling to be part of a Grammy award-winning work," he shares.

With Kej's many travel plans and the pandemic, most of their interactions have been virtual. "I get most of the raw footage of the videos to put together for the final one. I was given the creative freedom to finalise it," Akella says, adding that he's also worked on songs *I am Change* and *Pastrol India*, both of which have seen good feedback on social media.

But when it came to the Grammy nomination, Kej himself wasn't sure if he'd win it at all given the stiff competition, Akella recalls. "When we found out that the album was nominated, we were obviously thrilled. But the final dates of the award ceremony were pushed to April from January because of the pandemic. When the day finally came, it was such a dream come true, especially to know that I had a small part to play in it. Honestly, I'm still processing that feeling."

While he works with Kej during the day, he plays with his band, Space Is All We Have, by dusk. "I know I have a long way to go but I hope to have a Grammy-winning work in the future too," he says.

CITY READ

Hotel celebrates Easter with brunch

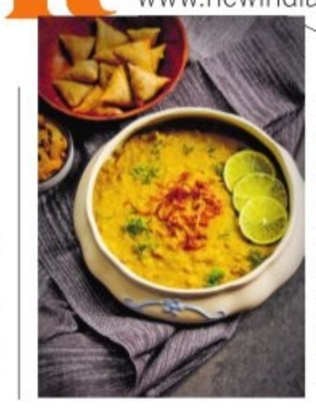
Up your Easter indulgence as Courtyard By Marriott Bengaluru Hebbal is all set to make your Easter celebration a memorable one with festive cheer and a lavish spread of culinary delicacy and fun activities. Chef Rohan and his team have crafted an Easter menu that features Spatchcock Chicken with Garlic Mash and Gremolata, Baked Polenta Cakes with Spring Onion, Seared Fish with Lemon Garlic Sauce, Egg and Spinach Salad with Bacon Dressing, Braised, Chicken, Romaine and Orange Salad with Lime Dressing Shrimp, Artichoke, Tomatoes, Olives, and Garden, Pork Salami Platter. Taking place on April 17, it is priced at ₹1,899 ++ for adults, while it is ₹949 ++ for kids (5-12 years of age).

Cyber security hub inaugurated

IBM India inaugurated IBM Cybersecurity Hub: Bangalore recently. During their visit, Rajeev Chandrasekhar, Union Minister of State for Electronics and Information Technology and Union Minister of State for Skill Development and Entrepreneurship, said, "In rapidly digitising world, India has the opportunity to leapfrog in exponential technologies like cybersecurity, Hybrid Cloud and AI. We need investments in these technologies to help bring our PM's vision of making India the hub of innovation and growth. It was a good visit to the IBM Cybersecurity Hub and Client Innovation Centre in Bengaluru and see the technologies companies like IBM provide to various organisations in accelerating their digital transformation."

EASTER BRUNCH

Celebrate Easter at Limelight with classic hot cross buns, spinach and nuts stuffed roasted leg of lamb, peanut butter and candy egg blondies, Easter eggs, and more. **When:** April 17 **For reservation, call** 99029 54007



FLAVOURS UNLIMITED

This Ramzan, guests at Shangri-La Bengaluru can enjoy an Iftar spread with Gosht Haleem, Keema Samosa, Sheermal, Murgh Musallam Biryani, Keema Kaleji with Pav, Chicken Shawarma, and more. **Price:** ₹ 2,075 ++ per person **When:** Till May 2

MUSICAL FAIR

The festival Amruta Sangeetham is dedicated to Azadika Amrit Mahotsav as it represents India's freedom festival. The Bharatiya Samagana Sabha celebrates and commemorates the glorious musical history of saints and seers of Sanatan Bharat at Chowdiah Memorial Hall. **When:** April 14-15 **Details:** bookmyshow.com

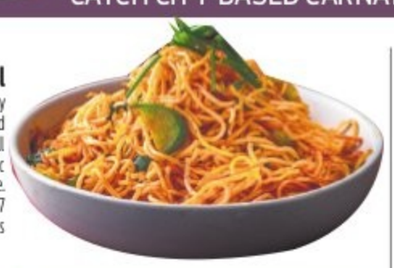
IFTAR MEALS

Iftar Special Ramadan Feast menu at The Leela Bhartiya City Bengaluru includes Arabic mezze, gourmet dates, Sujuk kebabs, along with haleem. Sherbat like Tamar Hind, Laban, Karkadeh and Pistachio Baklavas and Gourmet Dates are also included in the buffet spread. **Priced:** ₹ 1,550++ per person **When:** Till May 1

CATCH CITY-BASED CARNATIC ROCK BAND **AGAM** PERFORM LIVE FOR THE FIRST TIME AFTER THE PANDEMIC | **WHEN:** APRIL 23 | **WHERE:** FORUM MALL, KORAMANGALA

Easter Special

Enjoy Easter the non-traditional way this year with Pan Fried Chilli Tofu/Paneer, Roaster Chilli Pork, Char Sui Lamb, Chilli Garlic Noodles and more. **When:** April 17 **Where:** Chowman outlets



Carnatic Music Concert

Yuvasangeetha Vaibhava will see artistes Bangalore M Nishanth and Aditi B Prahalad perform on stage. Janadhan Srinath will play the violin and Phanindra Bhaskara will be on the mridanga. **When:** April 17 **Where:** Khincha Hall, Race Course Road

Salsa Class

Have you ever dreamt to move your hips like Cuban Salsa stars? Here is your chance to get things started with Minoti Ramachandra and Khushboo from the Motley Dance Company. **When:** April 24 **Details:** bookmyshow.com

Clay stories

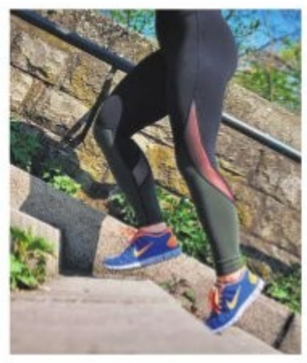
Summer time is funtime to explore new hobbies — get your child to try their hand with clay; experience the hand building techniques along with the experience of using a potters wheel in a pottery studio. **When:** April 19 **Where:** Lahe Lahe, Indiranagar

Sunday Brunch

MoMo Café has curated themed Sunday brunches with festive-special cupcakes, savoury waffles and sundae bars. It also offers Sikandari Raan, Chapli Kebab, Sheer Khurma and a wide range of biryanis. **When:** April 17, 24 **Where:** MoMo Café, Courtyard by Marriott ORR, Bellandur

Soapstone Carving Workshop

Soapstone is a soft stone that can be carved into anything we want. You will learn the whole process of carving, sanding and oiling and see the magic reveal itself at the end with Gowri Varanashi. **When:** April 14 **Where:** Bangalore Creative Circus, Yeshwantpur



Weight-loss programme

Understand your diet, attend the free webinar by Nutrition Pro, consult a nutritionist and lose weight the appropriate way. **When:** April 16 **Details:** bookyshow.com

QUICK FIX

What's cooking

IN YOUR KITCHEN?
We are hungry for recipes with minimum ingredients and maximum flavours. Share your quick-fix with us, along with step-by-step photos, at cityexpresschn@gmail.com.

POTATO CORN TOAST

INGREDIENTS

- **Bread slices:** 8
- **Mashed potatoes:** 1 cup,
- **Corn:** 1/2 cup
- **Coriander leaves:** 2 tbsp
- **Green chillies:** 2
- **Chaat masala:** 1/2 tsp
- **Butter:** 50 g **Pepper:** 1/4 tsp

–Surkhab Khan, Lucknow

METHOD

- In a wok, add corn and a glass of water. Boil it for 5-6 minutes till it is soft. In a bowl, add boiled corn and mashed potato. Mix coriander leaves, green chilli, salt, pepper powder and chaat masala.
- Cut bread in triangles, spread butter. Put 2 tsp of the potato-corn spread. Cover in aluminium foil and grill for 10-12 minutes.

SOUND BOARD

WHAT HAPPENED TO...?
This podcast keeps you up to speed on all of the esoteric popculture topics you haven't thought about in a long time, such as the Ice Bucket Challenge or even murder hornets.
- On Spotify

FLASH FORWARD
Each episode on Flash Forward considers a possible future, covering topics that you've always been fascinated by but have rarely seen covered in traditional tech and science press. Like, is there really any alien life out there? Will the universe end? And what if you could put a head on a brand new body?
- On Apple Podcast

REPLY ALL
Reply All has a flair for digging into strange rabbit holes and unearthing amusing absurdity at the core of contemporary technology, and the internet can be gloriously bizarre at times.
- On Spotify

LIFE KIT
Adulting is difficult. And sometimes we need a little assistance with all of those seemingly simple tasks that don't come naturally to all of us. This podcast covers everything you can think of, from budgeting to sleeping better to giving better advise. It will teach you stuff you didn't realise you needed to know.
- On Spotify

THE DECK
When true crime rehashes the specifics of horrible crimes, one of the most common objections is that it can feel exploitative. This podcast flips that on its head by releasing important information from "the deck," a set of 52 playing cards circulated throughout the jail systems in the hopes that someone knows something and comes forward.
- On Apple Podcast

POPULAR ON YOUTUBE

DHARMADURAI
Dharmadurai, a heartbroken doctor, turns to alcohol and becomes the source of embarrassment for his family. However, a meeting with an old friend changes his life for good.
Cast: Vijay Sethupathi, Srushti Dange, Aishwarya Rajesh, Tamannaah

IRAIVI
Three men, who are financially struggling, get involved in criminal activities to improve their financial status. However, they end up in prison and their wives are forced to lead an independent life.
Cast: Vijay Sethupathi, Bobby Simha, SJ Surya, Anjali

NAMMAVAR
Selvam, the new vice principal of a college, tries to transform the behaviour of troublemaking students while fighting an inner war.
Cast: Kamal Haasan, Gautami, Karan, Nagesh

AATHI
Aadhi comes to Chennai for his education and meets Anjali, falling in love with her. Soon, they learn that they are both on a mission to avenge the death of their parents.
Cast: Vijay, Prakash Raj, Trisha, Vivek

JOKER
Mannar Mannan, a villager, declares himself as the president of India and fights corruption and social injustices
Cast: Guru Somasundaram, Ramya Pandian, Gayathri

WHAT'S ON TED TALKS

1 HOW THE MAGIC OF KINDNESS HELPED ME SURVIVE THE HOLOCAUST BY WERNER REICH
Holocaust survivor Werner Reich recounts his harrowing adolescence as a prisoner and shares how a small, kind act can inspire a lifetime of compassion. "If you ever know somebody who needs help, if you know somebody who is scared, be kind to them," he says.

2 WE'RE BUILDING A DYSTOPIA JUST TO MAKE PEOPLE CLICK ON ADS BY ZEYNEP TUFEKCI
We're building an artificial intelligence-powered dystopia, one click at a time, says techno-sociologist Zeynep Tufekci. In an eye-opening talk, she details how the same algorithm that companies like Facebook, Google and Amazon use to get you to click on ads are also used to organise your access to political and social information.

3 THE RHYTHM AND RHYME OF MEMORY, SOLITUDE AND COMMUNITY BY ROSANNE CASH
"Music can unlock a frozen memory that melts into the seeds of our creativity," says musician Rosanne Cash. Reflecting on the power of memory, solitude and community, she performs "The Sunken Lands" and "Particle And Wave" and meditates on some of life's most poignant and bittersweet themes.

4 NFTS, THE METAVERSE AND THE FUTURE OF DIGITAL ART BY ELIZABETH STRICKLER
Elizabeth Strickler breaks down the acronym, NFT, and explains the fundamentals of non-fungible tokens, sharing how these digital assets are changing the landscape for artists and content creators looking to cash in on their creations — in and out of the metaverse.

5 WHAT IT'S LIKE TO BE A WAR REFUGEE BY ZARLASHT HALAIMZAI
Living under the constant threat of violence has a lasting effect — even after you escape from danger, says writer and refugee advocate Zarlasht Halaimzai. In this poignant, vital talk, she articulates the lingering trauma of being expendable — and shares how belonging to a community can help bring back feelings of long-lost safety.

FIT BIT

NAUKA SANCHALANASANA
(ROWING THE BOAT POSE)

It is a beginner seated flowing asana that prepares the body for challenging poses. This asana is believed to open three of the seven chakras, or centres of concentrated energy — Vishuddha (throat) chakra, associated with authentic expression and higher communication, Svadisthana (sacral) chakra, associated with creativity and sexuality, Muladhara (root) chakra, associated with grounding and a sense of security. In addition to a wide range of physical benefits, it is also believed to balance and relax the mind, boost concentration, and promote higher awareness and consciousness.

STEPS

- After releasing from Mill Churning Pose, sit in Dandasana (Staff Pose). Then, clench the hands like grasping oars of the boat with palms facing down.
- Inhale. Take the torso back while placing the hands close to your belly, stretching as much as you can backwards.
- Exhale. Take the torso in a forward bend while resting it on the legs.
- Inhale. Raise the torso up and go back moving the arms with you.
- Exhale. Bring the torso in a forward fold and rest the hands around the feet.
- You can repeat this Rowing Boat Flow action for about 12 times breathing full and deep.
- It helps to release the unwanted gas in the stomach and flexes the spine, keeping the muscles around it stretched and strong.

BENEFITS

- Has a very good effect on the pelvis and abdomen.
- It is excellent for toning the nerves and organs of the pelvis and abdomen.
- Prevents sciatica and strengthens the back.
- Tones the back, abs, and arm muscles. Eliminates energy blockages in the pelvis and abdomen.
- Useful for gynaecological disorders, post-natal recovery.
- Helps to remove constipation.
- Helps to regulate the menstrual cycle.
- Regular practice of this asana reduces abdominal fat.

LIMITATIONS

- This pose should be avoided during the third trimester of pregnancy.
- People who are suffering from low blood pressure, extreme lower back pain due to slip disc, active hernia, avoid this pose.
- Those who have had a recent abdominal surgery and are suffering from headaches or migraines, should avoid.

–N Elumalai, PhD scholar (Yoga Science) at Meenakshi Academy of Higher Education & Research, Chennai

NOW STREAMING

REGIONAL

MUNGARU MALE 2 (Kannada)
Preetham, the son of Suryakanth, a millionaire, is driven by excitement and easily gets bored when it comes to relationships. He understands love after he meets Nandini.
Cast: Ganesh, Neha Shetty, V Ravichandran, Aindrita Ray
- **Available on:** Voot

SUNDAY HOLIDAY (Malayalam)
An inspiring scriptwriter narrates a love story to a film director. His tale traces a series of events as the characters lose and then find love.
Cast: Asif Ali, Aparna Balamurali, Sreenivasan, KPAC Lalitha
- **Available on:** Disney+ Hotstar

JAI BHIM (Tamil)
A pregnant woman from a primitive tribal community, searches desperately for her husband, who is missing from police custody. So as to find her husband and seek justice for them, as their voice, a High Court advocate rises in support. Will their battle for justice succeed?
Cast: Suriya, Prakash Raj, Ramesh
- **Available on:** Amazon Prime Video

K.G.F: CHAPTER 1 (Kannada)
KGF Chapter 1 is a film based on the gold mines that represent absolute power. The film is based on power struggle to rule these fields which eventually becomes one man's destiny and his final destination.
Cast: Yash, Srinidhi Shetty, Ramachandra Raju
- **Available on:** Amazon Prime Video

GEHRAIYAAN (Hindi)
Alisha Khanna, 30, ambitious, now finds herself at a crossroads in life. Her six-year-long relationship has grown monotonous, her career seems to be going nowhere. But just when she had begun to accept this reality as unchangeable, her life is usurped by the arrival of her cousin, Tia and her fiance, Zain, with whom she bonds over a troubled past and a common wish to break from its confines.
Cast: Deepika Padukone, Siddhant Chaturvedi, Ananya Panday
- **Available on:** Amazon Prime Video

All the streaming apps can be accessed on smartphones and smart TVs with Internet connection.

YUVARATHNAA (Kannada)
Gurudev, Principal at RK University, whose life is dedicated for the welfare of the college fights against the privatisation of education system The story entwines between the bond of a teacher and his students.
Cast: Puneeth Rajkumar, Sayyeshaa Saigal, Prakash Raj
- **Available on:** Amazon Prime Video

NIGHT DRIVE (Malayalam)
A young, working couple are out on a drive where they meet with an accident. It leaves them in a triangle between a cop who investigates the accident and the corrupt political hegemony who are in pursuit of them.
Cast: Anna Ben, Roshan Mathew, Kailash, Santhosh Keezhattoor
- **Available on:** Netflix

FOREIGN

ALL THE OLD KNIVES (English)
When the CIA discovers one of its agents leaked information that cost more than 100 people their lives, veteran operative Henry Pelham is assigned to root out the mole with his former lover and colleague Celia Harrison.
Cast: Chris Pine, Thandiwe Newton, Laurence Fishburne, Jonathan Pryce
- **Available on:** Amazon Prime Video

BUSINESS PROPOSAL (Korean)
In disguise as her friend, Ha-ri shows up to a blind date to scare him away. But plans go awry when he turns out to be her CEO and makes a proposal.
Cast: Ahn Hyo-seop, Kim Se-jeong, Kim Min-gue
- **Available on:** Netflix

TURNING RED (English)
Mei Lee is a 13-year-old girl who is torn between being her mother's obedient daughter and the chaos of her youth. As if that were not enough, when she gets too excited, she turns into a big red panda.
Cast: Sandra Oh, Jordan Fisher, Maitreyi Ramakrishnan, Ava Morse
- **Available on:** Disney+ Hotstar

SPY X FAMILY (Japanese)
A spy on an undercover mission gets married and adopts a child as part of his cover. His wife and daughter have secrets of their own, and all three must strive to keep together.
Cast: Takuya Eguchi, Atsumi Tanezaki, Saori Hayami
- **Avaiable on:** Netflix

SUBSCRIPTION

- **Disney+Hotstar:** ₹ 499 per year
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- **Netflix:** ₹ 149 per month

BOOK SHELF

NIREESWARAN

Author: VJ James

Pages: 320

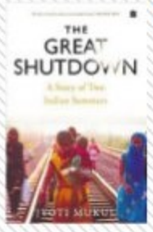
Is it possible for society to exist without religion? Novelist VJ James addresses this question using humour and satire to question blind faith and giving insights into what true spirituality is. Three atheists — Antony, Sahir, and Bhaskaran — embark on an elaborate prank to establish that God is nothing but a superstition. They install a mutilated idol of Nireeswaran, literally anti-god, to show people how hollow their religion is. However, their plan starts turning awry, where belief, disbelief and atheism, all intertwine with each other.

DREAM FACTORY

Author: Sujatha and Madhavan Narayanan

Pages: 360

Set in the Tamil film industry, aka Kollywood, the novel chronicles the rises and falls in fortune and the shenanigans that the various artistes experience. The book features Arun, the star and protagonist, who is at the peak of his career but will soon start going downhill; Arumairajan, the struggling poet-waiter who eventually becomes a big-time lyricist; Manonmani, the small-time actress who is unable to deal any longer with the pressures and compromises she is forced to make, eventually sets fire to herself, among other incidents.



THE GREAT SHUTDOWN

Author: Jyoti Mukul

Pages: 372

Inspired by the true events that unfolded following the lockdown, the book documents the migrant crisis and their struggling journey to their homes with lack of public transport. The book goes into why this uncertainty caused the emotional crisis of being separated from family which was back home, when potentially an unknown disease could have taken them in, any time. It chronicles the Covid-19 regulations before and after lockdown, the unlocking phase, the second wave, and the alternatives that were available and could be available to keep the travel going.

NUGGETS

Actor Robert Downey Jr. advocates climate-smart food in upcoming book

Best known for playing Iron-Man and Sherlock Holmes on the big screen, Robert Downey Jr. has now turned to advocating climate smart food choices. The Hollywood star has teamed up with bestselling author Thomas Kostigen to write *Cool Food: Erasing Your Carbon Footprint One Bite at a Time*. Blackstone Publishing has acquired the rights to the book, which, its authors say, will provide a smart, accessible and game-changing roadmap to making climate-solving food choices. The deal marks the first major non-fiction book from Downey Jr., who leaned into nutrition since early in his Marvel run as Iron-Man to prepare for the rigours of that role. In a report, it said, "While there has been a preoccupation in Hollywood with cutting down carbon footprints, doing it through a diet seems an innovative wrinkle." Blackstone hasn't set a publication date. **—IANS**

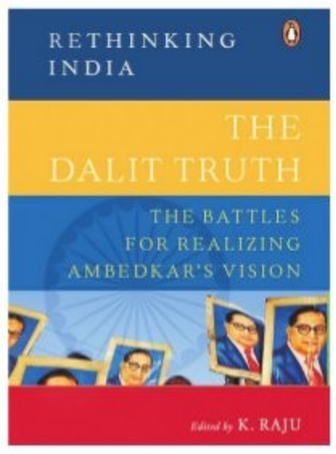
'Societies have always had unsaid preference for lies'

TURNING PAGES

ACROSS the country in Dalit localities today, statues of Dr Ambedkar — holding the Constitution of India in one hand and showing the way forward to the nation with the other — are a common sight. The Dalits not only own Ambedkar but also the Constitution, as they consider it as 'Ambedkar's Constitution'. This volume examines how far the constitutional promises made to the Dalits have been fulfilled and how far the Dalits have progressed on the way shown by Ambedkar.

The Dalits are among the world's largest group of people with a long history of discrimination against them. In their quest for equality, as promised by the Constitution, they have been waging relentless battles against the caste system. The essays in this book are about those battles.

This book is set in contemporary times, when the political mobilization of the Dalits is following a trajectory that the founders of the Constitution would never have expected. Though the Congress party, in partnership with Ambedkar, had formulated the Constitution, and brought out policies, programmes and legislations aimed at their social, economic and political empowerment, the Dalits are drifting away from the Congress in a few states. Some critics argue that it is the Congress that is drifting away from the Dalits, with Manuwadi parties making inroads there. This volume tries to objectively examine the truth and falsities that



are influencing the political mobilization of the Dalits.

This book has been influenced by my own career as a former civil servant and current Congress leader, and my life as a Dalit. In over three decades as a civil servant, I have had the opportunity to listen to the small and big voices of the Dalits, partake in their pain and celebrate their victories with them. As a Congress leader, I could closely fathom the realities of politics where the Dalits have a stake. It was with this in mind that I invited thinkers who have the courage of conviction to speak the truth to contribute essays for this book. The truth some of them speak may be unsettling to a politician, whether Congress or non-Congress. It is an attempt to engage with a variety of intellectuals on Dalit lives and politics, and to acknowledge the Dalit truth. Though I strongly believe that the Congress remains the best hope for Dalit emancipation, none of the essays in this book has been 'censored'—including those critical of my party.

The book's inquiry into Dalit lives takes you through to the Dalit truth. There are many things which are routinely said about truth: that it is naked and it hurts; that it cannot be hidden for too long; that it prevails. But one thing which is not often said is that it always bears the burden of the past with unflinching grace. It might reveal something ugly, dull or even obvious, but it always holds its head high elegantly since it has nothing to hide. Truth remains plain and solid in its transparency.

Yet societies have always had an unsaid preference for lies. Unlike truth, which can be uncomfortable, lies offer a tempting simplicity. They stand seductively in the corner, promising false liberation from the burden of untangling the complex web of the past. But the salve of lies is temporary. Along with being divisive, lies negate history so that the dominant classes, which are mostly responsible for fabricating them, continue their hegemony.

(Excerpted from The Dalit Truth edited by K Raju with permission from Penguin Random House)

HOW TO SUCCESSFULLY GET A RAISE

HRIDAY RANJAN
Urban Bourbon
(Writer, comedian)

THE season of hikes and bonuses is here. No matter how nonchalant and unattached you act, you're going to be making mental calculations. The truth is, you have to ask for a raise yourself. Nobody is going to do it for you!

Disclaimer: I have never asked for a raise. However, I HAVE asked for pocket money a lot in my life. The basic principles are the same. The resources are limited, and the amount you get is based on the impression you have created on the decision-makers over the last few days. Using the same principles I used to obtain pocket money in childhood, here are a few tips that will help you get a higher raise this year.

Second disclaimer: Some of these suggestions are truly 'out of the cabin'. They truly blur the line between pushing the envelope and getting the pink slip. Some unimaginative people might look at the suggestions and mutter 'toxic workplace' under their breath. Ignore the negativity — always remember, having more money is more important than being politically correct.

Start by buying gifts for your boss. Not generic gifts — but topical gifts for tropical climate. The summer is going to be brutal this year, so get your boss a tender coconut subscription. Or an appointment for AC repair. A mini-USB fan to prepare for summer load shedding. Extra refills for mosquito repellents — ask your boss what brand they use — the refills don't fit all types!

Offer to babysit your boss kids. Give them a cup that says 'World's Greatest Boss'. Laugh at your boss's jokes. No matter how unfunny they are — laugh as boisterously as rakshasas laughed in Doordarshan's mythological serials. Since work-from-home has come to an end, the old rules will apply once again. Come early to the office and be the last one to log out.

If these 20th century tips don't work, you need to get innovative. Indoctrinate your colleagues into the heady ideology of Communism. Inspire them to forego capitalist perks like hikes and bonuses. Or better still, initiate them into a spiritual journey. Convince them that money comes and goes; morality comes and grows.

Always remember that your boss is also a human being. In the words of Mahatma Gandhi '*Humanity is an ocean. If a few drops are dirty, the ocean doesn't become dirty*'. Gandhiji obviously made this comment before the oceans truly got filthy. But nevertheless, it is important to understand the quote in its context. Your boss is a human being, and you must appeal to their innate humanity (difficult as that might seem to find).

Share everything your boss shares on social media. Add them to 'Close Friends' on Instagram. Create memes about your colleagues and DM them to your boss. Send an invite to your boss to join 'Hike' messenger. Send a wink along with the invite. Donate blood, offer to offer platelets. Write a poem for your boss, read it out to them drunk, after the office party. Hug your boss, go down on your knees, promise everlasting loyalty, and paste their pictures at your desk.

The truth is, in spite of all my efforts — I rarely got any pocket money from my parents. And therein lies a lesson — one can only put one's best foot forward. And that might be the case with you too. I hope you win a handsome (used in the gender-neutral sense) hike this year. If you don't, well, you can always begin planning for next March!

(The writer's views are his own)

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CHANGE OF NAME
I, **MOHAMMED IMRAN MOHAMMED,** S/o Mohammed Aslam, aged about 39 years, R/a No. 53, 5th Cross, Anepalya, Adugodi, Adugodi Post, Bangalore South, Bangalore-560030, have changed my name to **MOHAMMED IMRAN,** vide affidavit dated 12-04-2022 before Notary **L. GOPALAKRISHNA,** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **Suresha Sadashiva Sharma,** S/o. **Sadashiva Sharma,** R/o. No. 77-30, 'Sri Shankara Nilaya', 17th Main, 7th Cross, J. C. Nagar, Kurubarahalli, Bengaluru – 560 086, I have Changed My Name From **Suresha Sadashivarao** To **Suresha Sadashiva Sharma** Vide Affidavit Dated 09-04-2022, Sworn Before Notary B. Prasanna, Bangalore

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I, **SERVICE NO JC-310863N** SUB N. SUBARAMANI, of unit: 44 FD PARK COY, 4 ENGR REGT, C/O 99 APO, Pin: 914004, Have Changed My Self **(OLD NAME) N. SUBARAMANI** to **(NEW NAME) N. SUBRAMANI** Vide Affidavit Dated 04.04.2022 Sworn Before Notary GANGARAJU.B.N. Bangalore.

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I, **POOJA SHAH** R/at No.301, SMC Classic, No 3, Srirampuram Main Road, Bangalore- 560021 have changed my name to **POOJA ATUL SHAH** vide affidavit dated: 12/4/2022 Before Notary **K.V.Mani** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **BALARAJU .A** residing at Seebi Agrahara, Post: Kallambella Hobli, Sira Taluk, Amalagondi, Tumkur, Karnataka - 572 125, hereby declare that I have changed my name from **BALRAJA** to **BALARAJU .A** vide affidavit dated 11.04.2022 sworn to before A.S. Narayana Reddy, Advocate & Notary, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SHYLAJA .R** W/o. Ramakrishna, Residing at No. 2, 4th Main Road, 7th Cross, Near Chowdeshwari Temple, Kaviri Nagar, Mahadevapura, Bangalore - 560 048, Karnataka, I have changed my name from **SHYLAJA** to **SHYLAJA .R** vide affidavit dated 7.4.2022 sworn to before M. Radhamma, Advocate & Notary Public, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, Palani Kumarasamy F/o **VIJAY SHARMITH PALANI KUMARASAMY**, R/o B-1, 301 Elita Promanade, Kothannur JP Nagar 7TH phase, Bengaluru - 560078, have changed my **son's** name as **VIJAY SHARMITH** vide affidavit dated 11/04/22 sworn before notary L. PUTTA RAJU, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
We, **MOHAN .G.N** S/o Narayanappa G, aged about 35 years, and **SMT. CHAITHRA .B.S** W/o Mohan .G.N, aged about 28 years, R/at No. 86, Vaderahalli, Mathahalli post, Dasanapura Post, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore-562 123 have changed our minor son's name from **RAM CHARAN .M.C** to **VATSAL GOWDA .M.C,** vide affidavit dated: 7-4-2022, sworn before Notary **H.R. Krishna.**

CHANGE OF NAME
I, (OLD NAME) SUDHEESTNA KORRAI, Spouse of NO 15330411Y L/NK PAPARAO KOYYANA Residing at H. No 4-211, Vanavishupuram (vill), Polaki (MD), Srikakulam (Dist), Andhra pradesh (state), Pin: 532430, Have Changed My Name to **(KOYYANA SUDHEESTNA)** Vide Affidavit Dated 11.04.2022 Sworn Before Notary Meer Hassan Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, REETH B OSTWAL, Adhaar No. 8220 3419 4602, D/of Bharat Kumar Ostwal D.O.B. 05-03-2003, residing at No. 43/A, 2nd Floor, Salecha Elegance, HB Samaja Road, Basavanagudi, Bangalore - 560004 have changed my name to REETH KUMARI vide affidavit dated 09-03-2022 sworn to before Advocate and notary S. Vijayakumar Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **VIJAYA LAKSHMI ANANTHASAYANAM PASPULATI** W/o **Darshan S.** R/at No.217, Thoogudeepa Nilaya, F-Road, Ideal Home Township, 2nd Stage, RR Nagar, Bangalore- 560098 have changed my name to **VIJAYA LAKSHMI DARSHAN** vide affidavit dated:12/4/2022 Before Notary **Vedavathi T.D** Channapatna.

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I, **MRS. SNEHA ANAND PATHAK, (AADHAR: 8152 4515 6853)** W/o. Mr. Anand Pathak, aged about 24 years, Residing at No. B-20, Choudhari Heritage, Near Renuka Mata Mandir, Sangram Nagar, Aurangaabad, Maharashtra - 431 001, hereby declare that **SNEHA ANAND PATHAK** and **SNEHA SANJAY BHANAGE** is the name of one and the same person and that is myself, now I have changed my name as **SNEHA ANAND PATHAK,** vide affidavit dated 08.04.2022, sworn before PRAKASH .C Advocate & Notary, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **RAMAKRISHNA,** S/o. Venkatesh, Residing at No. 2, 4th Main Road, 7th Cross, Near Chowdeshwari Temple, Kaviri Nagar, Mahadevapura, Bangalore - 560 048, Karnataka, I have changed my name from **RAMAKRISHNA .V** to **RAMAKRISHNA** vide affidavit dated 7.4.2022 sworn to before M. Radhamma, Advocate & Notary Public, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **GIRIDHARA .R,** age 49 years, S/o Ramamurthy, R/at No. 27, 5th Cross, 35th Main, II Stage, BTM Layout, Bangalore-68, Karnataka do hereby declare that I have changed my son's name from **AKSHAY G** to **AKSHAY G KASHYAP,** henceforth he shall be known and called as **AKSHAY G KASHYAP** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 12th April 2022, sworn before Advocate and Notary **D.K. RAMESHAPPA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **JANSI SABU,** W/o Mr. Sabu ISAAC, age 48 years, residing at No. 191, 5A, Ascot Apartment, 4th Cross, 6th Main Road, Defence Colony, Indirangar, Bangalore-36 do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **JANSI SABU ISAAC** to **JANSI SABU,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **JANSI SABU** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 11th April 2022, sworn before Advocate and Notary **GANGARAJU B.N.** at Bangalore.

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I, (OLD NAME) LALJI, spouse of NO JC 311508H SUB JAMES JOSEPH, Residing at Thadathil (House), Mannanam (post), Kottayam (Dist), Kerala (state), Pin : 686561, Have changed My Name to **(NEW NAME) LALJI SEBASTIAN** Vide Affidavit Dated 12.04.2022 sworn Before Notary GANGARAJU.B.N Bangalore.

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I, PRIYANKA AMBATI, aged about 32 years, W/o. N V Vijay, Residing at No.64/1, 6th Cross, Near Om Shakthi Temple, Escorts Engineers Layout, Attur, Yelahanka New Town, Bangalore North-560064. have changed my name from **PRIYANKA** to **PRIYANKA AMBATI** vide affidavit Dated: 11/04/2022 before Notary S.R.RAVIKUMAR, Bangalore.

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I, **MADHU KUMAR,** S/o **M.G. Srikanth,** aged about 39 years, R/at: at No.46, Sri Nilaya, Sourastrapet Main Road, Near Belepet Circle, Bangalore South-560053. I declare that **MADHU KUMAR MUDDAN** & **MADHU KUMAR M.S.** Both the names refers to me and they are one and the same person name only. I declare that for all my feature correspondence my name should be entered as **MADHU KUMAR M.S.** vide affidavit Dated: 11/04/2022 before Notary K.C.GOWTHAMI, Bangalore.

AFFIDAVIT
I, **ABDUL RAHIM,** aged 53 years, S/o. Abdul Rawoof, residing at No. 15, 1st Phase, 2nd Main, West of Chord Road, Rajajinagar, Bangalore - 560 010, hereby declare that **ABDUL RAHIM RAWOOF** and **ABDUL RAHIM** both are my name only, and in further the name should be entering as **ABDUL RAHIM** in my renewal of passport, vide affidavit dated 08.04.2022, sworn before S. Vijayakumar, Advocate & Notary, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **RAJENDRAN GANESHAN,** S/o. Ganeshan Nateshachar, Residing at No. 8, 2nd B Cross, OMBR Layout, Bhuvanagiri Street, Maruthisevanagar, Bangalore - 560 043, Karnataka, have changed my name from **RAJENDRAN BARNABAS GANESHAN** to **RAJENDRAN GANESHAN** vide affidavit dated 11.4.2022 sworn to before M. Radhamma, Advocate & Notary Public, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **GIRIDHARA .R,** age 49 years, S/o Ramamurthy, R/at No. 27, 5th Cross, 35th Main, II Stage, BTM Layout, Bangalore-68, Karnataka do hereby declare that I have changed my daughter's name from **SHREYAA G** to **SHREYAA G KASHYAP,** henceforth she shall be known and called as **SHREYAA G KASHYAP** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 12th April 2022, sworn before Advocate and Notary **D.K. RAMESHAPPA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **LATHA RAJ,** SPOUSE OF SERVICE No.144280K, EX-POME M.P.RAJENDRANATH NAIDU, RESIDENT OF #7, FAIR MEADOWS, 5TH CROSS, 4TH MAIN, PAMPA EXTENSION, KEMPAPURA, BENGALURU 560024, HAVE CHANGED MY NAME FROM **LATHA RAJ** TO **LATHA RAJENDRANATH NAIDU,** VIDE AFFIDAVIT DATED: 11/04/2022 BEFORE NOTARY **MEER HASSAN,** BENGALURU.

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I, **ADITHYA PRAKASH** S/o **C.J Prakash** Flat No.702 Tower 2 L & T Raintree Boulevard Byatarayanapura Sahakarnagar, Bengaluru- 560092 have changed my name to **ADITYA PRAKASH** vide affidavit dated: 12/4/2022 Before Notary **K.V.Mani** Bangalore

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I, PARVEEZ SINGH, S/o. Bhupender Singh, aged about 37 years and residing at No. 2/3, 11th Cross, Chowdappa Layout, Bapuji Nagar, Bangalore-560 026, have changed my name to PARVEEZ KHAN vide affidavit dated 12-04-2022 sworn to before Advocate and notary M.K. Devaki, Bangalore.

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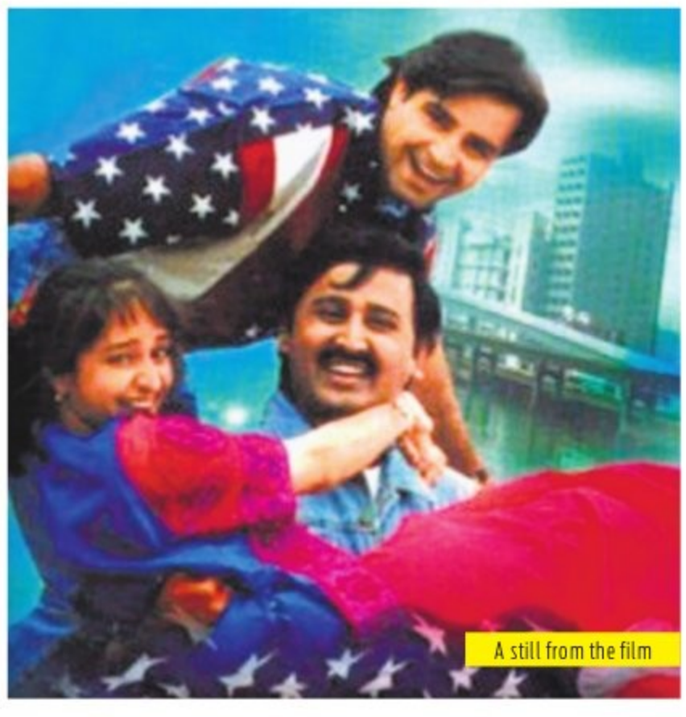
I, **Miss POORVI PRASAD,** D/o. Krishna Prasad Manimoole, aged about 21 years, R/at. No. 11, 'Surabhi', 3rd Main Road, near B.K. Circle, Nayak Layout, J.P. Nagar, 8th Phase, Bangalore South, Bangalore - 560 076, hereby declare that I have changed my name from **POORVI** to **POORVI PRASAD,** vide affidavit dated 12.04.2022, sworn before G.R. Rajanna, Advocate & Notary, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **Mr. SRINIVAS,** Aged about 36 years, S/o. **Late SURYANARAYAN RAO,** residing at No. 495, 2nd Floor, 3rd Cross, Bahubalinagar, Jalahalli, Bangalore - 560 013, hereby declare that my name is mentioned in my School & College Records, Aadhar Card & Passport as **SRINIVAS** and my name is mentioned in my PAN Card as **SRINIVAS SURYANARAYAN RAO.** I state that both the above names are pertaining to one and the same person and that is myself. Now I am adding my surname and I have changed my name from **SRINIVAS** to **SRINIVAS SURYANARAYAN** for all purposes. Vide affidavit dated 12.04.2022 sworn to before Ravi Kumar V., Advocate & Notary, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **Dr. Shiva Shankar Reddy C.S.,** S/o. Late Seenappa Reddy, Aged about 43 years, Residing at No. 21, Challaghatta, Yamlur Post, Bangalore - 560 037, hereby declare that I have changed minor son's name from **S. Guru Swaroop** to **Guru Swarup .S** vide affidavit dated 12.4.2022 sworn to before P.N. Nagesha, Advocate & Notary, Bengaluru.


A still from the film

Ramesh Aravind: It is not just possible to make *America America* again

Actor Ramesh Aravind, director Nagathihalli Chandrashekar, actors Akshay Anand, Hema Panchamukhi, and music director Rajesh Krishnan celebrated 25 years of *America America*

CE FEATURES

NAGATHIHALLI Chandrashekar's directorial *America America* — released on April 11, 1997 — completed its silver jubilee. The actors and technicians of the superhit romantic drama came together to celebrate 25 years of success at an event held in Bengaluru. The movie starred Ramesh Aravind, Hema Panchamukhi, and Akshay Anand in lead roles. During the event, the team recalled their association and the memorable experience of working on the film. Director Nagathihalli said that the idea of making America America came about in 1990, and the film was extensively shot in the USA.

Ramesh Aravind, on the other hand, thanked the director and said that it remains one of the signature films of his career. "It is not possible to make *America America* again. It is a signature film in my career. Surya, the character I played is universal and carries a lot of emotions. I didn't know much about shooting abroad.

Team *America America* celebrate 25 years of success

Nagathichalli Chandrashekhar narrated the role and I liked it," he said.

Producer Nandakumar also mentioned that, unlike in the past, it is very difficult to shoot in America today as there are a lot of restrictions. Hema Panchamukhi, who played the female lead said, "The makers wanted to finalise a heroine residing in the USA for this film, however, the commercial terms didn't work out and that's how she came into the picture. Akshay Anand, who felt honoured to be part of the gathering, said that some films can never be repeated, and that is the case with *America America*. He also mentioned that it was Ramesh Aravind, who picked him for the role.

The romantic drama revolves around three characters — Surya, Shashank, and Bhoomi — and was the first Kannada film to be released in the USA. It has cinematography by Sunny Joseph. This film gave birth to the likes of musician Mano Murthy and singer Rajesh Krishnan. Songs like *Nooru Janmaku* and *Yaava Mohana Murali* are evergreen hits. The film also featured C R Simha Shivaram, Dattanna, and Vaishali Kasaravalli in pivotal roles.

DIRECTOR RAVINDRANATH TO INTRODUCE NEW FACES IN

SUNFLOWER

The title poster of director Ravindranath's *Sunflower* teased Shivank's role in the film

Shivank

A SHARADHAA

DIRECTOR S Ravindranath has taken up his third project, titled *Sunflower* and an announcement was made with a title poster. The film, touted to be an intense love drama will see two debut actors foraying into films. Speaking about the film, director Ravindranath said, "We are introducing Shivank, who will be playing the lead hero, and will have Nireeksha Rao as the female lead."

Speaking of Shivank's role in the film, Ravindranath said, "The title poster — which is filled in old cassettes — hints about the hero's character. He is an ardent lover of all kinds of films, and the names mentioned in the cassettes such as *Kasturi Nivasa*, *Nagarahavu*, *Jackie*, and *Michael Jackson* indicate his favourite movies, actors, and singer.

Sunflower is produced by B Yatheendra, and will have music scored by Judah Sandy. SK Rao, who collaborated with Ravindranath for *Monsoon Raaga*, the director's second film, which featured Dhananjay and Rachita Ram, will also be doing the cinematography for *Sunflower*. Meanwhile, *Monsoon Raaga*, which is halfway through the schedule, is getting ready to resume shooting from May 1st week. Director Ravindranath made his debut with *Pushpaka Vimana* starring Ramesh Arvind.

Nireeksha Rao

GIRKI AIMS FOR A MAY RELEASE

CE FEATURES

GIRKI'S motion poster by Shivarajkumar in March. The makers are now planning to release the film in May. The teaser released by actor Sharan has been garnering a lot of attention.

Girki marks the directorial debut of Veeresh PM. He had previously worked with directors Yogaraj Bhat and Mahesh Babu. The film stars Taranga Vishwas, Vilok Raja, Divya Uruduga, and Rashi Mahadev in lead roles. Director Veeresh doesn't categorise *Girki* into any genre as it has multiple elements like love, sentiments, action, comedy, and thriller.

The film, made under the banner of Edith Film Factory in association Vasuki Movie Production, has Veersamarath scoring the music. The film's lyrics have been penned by Yogaraj Bhat, Jayanth Kaikini, and the director himself. Naveen Kumar Challa has handled the cinematography for *Girki*. The team has planned to the release the film next month. The date will be finalised soon.

A still from the film

Sierra McCormick, Jade Pettyjohn to star in supernatural thriller *Burnouts*

Sierra McCormick

CE FEATURES

ACTORS Sierra McCormick, Jade Pettyjohn, Brenna D'Amico, Gianni DeCenzo, and Bentley Green have got on board to star in *Burnouts*, a supernatural thriller from writer-director Tim Donner.

The film sees a group of grieving teens, hot off of quarantine, head off for a much-needed retreat to reconnect and mend their wounds. A seance subsequently leads to an evening where anything can and does happen.

McCormick recently had an arc on FX on American Horror Stories, and can currently be seen in the horror film *We Need to Do Something*, which is streaming on Hulu. Additional credits include the comedy *Land of the Lost*, with Will Ferrell and Danny McBride, and the acclaimed Amazon film, *The Vast of Night*. Pettyjohn has recently been seen on series including Big Sky and Little Fires Everywhere. D'Amico plays Jane in Descendants franchise and has also appeared in films including *Night Night* and *Crushed*. Other upcoming projects include Phillip Clark Davis' comedy Saturday at the Starlight, with Abigail Breslin, Denise Richards, and Tony Cavalero, and Damian Drago's comedy High Adventure.

Will Ferrell

Will Ferrell joins Margot Robbie, Ryan Gosling-starrer *Barbie*

CE FEATURES

HOLLYWOOD actor Will Ferrell has joined the cast of Warner Bros' *Barbie*. The actor will star alongside Margot Robbie and Ryan Gosling in an undisclosed role.

Barbie is directed by Greta Gerwig, who also co-wrote the script with writer-filmmaker Noah Baumbach. The film has Robbie playing the titular role and Gosling playing Ken. The cast of the film also includes America Ferrara, Kate McKinnon, Simu Liu, Alexandra Shipp, and Ariana Greenblatt.

Details of the plot and the role Ferrell plays remain unknown at the moment.

Barbie is produced by Robbie under her LuckyChap Entertainment production banner along with LuckyChap's Tom Ackerley. Robbie Brenner will also produce through Mattel, as will David Heyman via Heyday Films. LuckyChap's Josey McNamara and Mattel's Ynon Kreiz serve as executive producers.

The production of the film is expected to begin soon.

Ferrell is best known for starring in numerous classic comedies over the years like *Old School*, *Anchorman*, *The Other Guys*, *Zoolander*, *The Lego Movie*, *Talladega Nights: The Ballad of Ricky Bobby*, and *Semi-Pro*.

ANEK RELEASE DATE OUT

CE FEATURES

Ayushmann Khurrana

ANEK, starring Ayushmann Khurrana, will now be released on May 27 as opposed to the initial date of May 13. The date was revised to avoid a clash with Yash Raj Films' *Jayeshbhai Jordaar* in which Ranveer Singh is playing the lead role.

The decision was taken after a discussion between Aditya Chopra, YRF's CEO Akshaye Widhani, and Anek producers Bhushan Kumar and Anubhav Sinha. Ayushmann's film's trailer will now be attached to *Jayeshbhai Jordaar*. This is the first time a non-YRF film's trailer is attached to a YRF film. "Producers Bhushan Kumar and Anubhav Sinha were very gracious and have shifted the release of Anek to May 27. With this move, both Jayeshbhai Jordaar and Anek will receive their fair share of the audiences' attention. As a token of gesture, the trailer of Anek will now be attached to Jayeshbhai Jordaar," said YRF's CEO Akshaye Widhani.

Bhushan Kumar said that one should be "open to accommodate the best interests of the films," and added, "I believe that the film industry is one big family and we should always be open to accommodate the best interests of the films we are churning out. Both *Jayeshbhai Jordaar* and *Anek* are very promising films."

"A lot of hard work and planning goes into the making of a film. We were happy to shift the release of *Anek* by a few days so that audiences can now enjoy both films in a spaced-out manner," said director-producer Anubhav Sinha. *Anek* is jointly produced by Bhushan's T-Series and Anubhav's Benaras Mediaworks.

Kangana Ranaut

Dhaakad trailer release date out, Kangana to sport seven looks

CE FEATURES

THE teaser of Kangana Ranaut starrer *Dhaakad* is out. The film is a spy actioner directed by Razneesh Ghai. It is set to release on May 20, 2022. The trailer of the film is slated to release on Tuesday.

The 81-second teaser introduces Kangana as Agent Agni. The actor drips cool from the opening frames, which get bloodier by the count. We see her slash up enemy guts, lead a gun raid and gouge out eyes. When not wreaking mayhem, Agni trots out in a succession of intriguing disguises. "Seperating the soul from the body...," she declares at the end of the teaser. "That's my business." According to the makers, Kangana has learned a number of martial art forms and combat techniques to play Agent Agni. She is joined in the cast by Arjun Rampal (as the main antagonist Rudraveer), as well as Divya Dutta and Saswata Chatterjee. Dhaakad was filmed across Budapest, Mumbai and Bhopal. The film has been shot by Japanese cinematographer Tetsuo Nagata (La Vie en rose) and the action has been designed by an international crew.

Talking about the film, Kangana shares, "In our cinema, we rarely have heroines performing action scenes in the real sense. When *Dhaakad* came my way, I felt happy to see that someone had dared to visualise a woman in a hardcore commercial film as an action heroine. I'm all for daredevilry and doing something that pushes the envelope. There's nothing that does it like a good commercial film."